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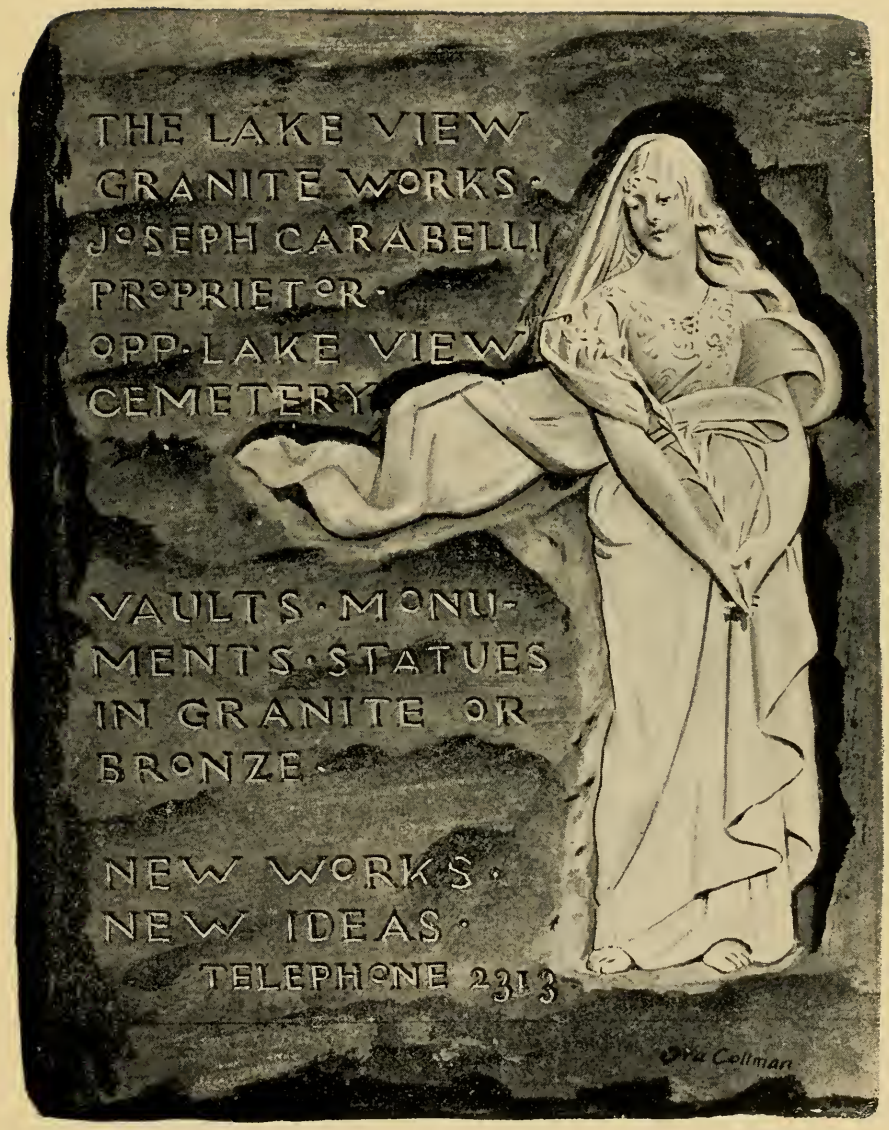
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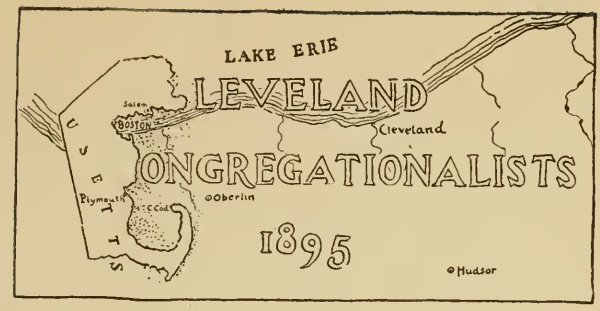

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AND THEIR WORK IN

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WITH

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INTRODUCTION.

The objects of this publication are :

1. To add to the agencies that are welding the Congregational Churches of Cleveland into an aggressive force for the evangelization of this city.

2. To furnish those churches that have no directory with such a help for their work.

3. To catch a bit of the local history of each and all the churches from the pens of those who are agents in our progress.

4. To stimulate all our members to emulate the labors and seek the successes of those who have been most aggressive.

5. To secure, if possible, some financial aid for our youngest Congregational Church, viz., the Lake View Church, to which all the profits, if any, of this publication will go towards a fund for a new building.

To this end the pastors and officers of our various societies have generously lent their aid in furnishing material for publication under their respective headings, and pictures from which to make the cuts which illustrate the work.

While it was sought to include the portraits of those who have been identified with the growth of our denomination in this city, it was necessary to confine the choice to those who have official relations to our common work, or are conspicuously helpful in the work of individual churches, at the time this work is compiled, viz:, December 1, 1895.

Though the special direction of this work has been in the hands of the pastor of the Lake View Church, he gratefully acknowledges the prompt and hearty co-operation of each pastor and official from whom the mass of facts had to be gathered.

It is believed that our advertisers will find this work a help in affording them direct access to a fine class of patrons, as well as a benefit in bringing their business to the attention of those interested in the churches in whose behalf this book appears.

THE EDITOR.

CONGREGATIONALISM IN CLEVELAND.

A BRIEF OUTLINE OF WHAT IT IS, AND HOW IT HAS WORKED.

BY HENRY M. LADD, D. D.

CONGREGATIONALISM has been defined as "Sanctified Common Sense." It is the Bible put into practical use in Church life and work. It has no peculiarities except those which inhere in Freedom by the Truth. Following the example of the churches founded by the Apostles, it believes in and stands for ecclesiastical democracy, pure and simple. Christ alone is the recognized head of the Church, and all others are brethren. Each church governs itself, but it does not stand alone; it stands in the fellowship of a common masterhood, and a common brotherhood in the active and aggressive service of the Kingdom of Christ on earth.

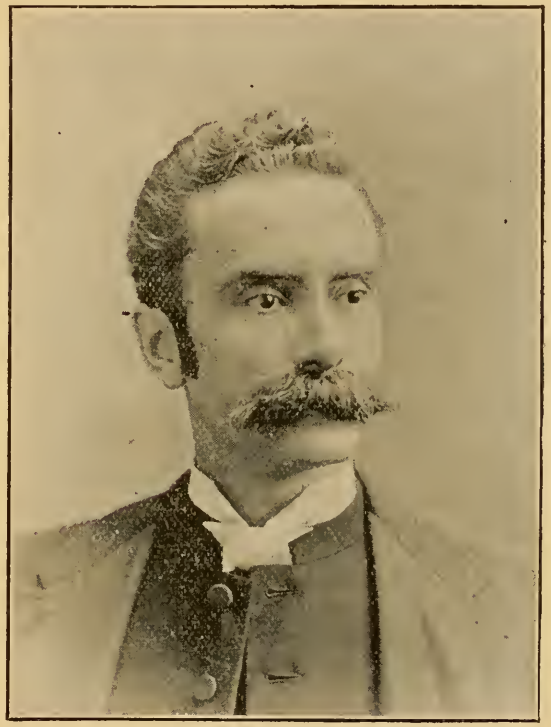
The churches, independent in themselves, and amenable only to Christ, are federated in the closest of fellowship—the fellowship not of ecclesiastical clamps or of the bondage of creeds, but in the fellowship of the Spirit. This alone is found to be vital fellowship.

The orbit of Congregationalism, like that of the swiftest heavenly bodies, is an ellipse. Around its two foci, independence and fellowship, it moves with a momentum born of God. Its laws are the laws of reason, promulgated in a multitude of counselors. They have authority only so far as they have wisdom and good sense back of them. Its appeal is constantly to the right-wiseness of the people. Thus it stimulates thought, cultivates talent and deepens the sense of responsibility. It renders help and gives advice through Councils called for the purpose. The spiritual growth, activity and work of the churches are stimulated and fostered and guided by local Conferences, by State Associations and by National Triennial Councils. It carries on the federated work of the churches through its six great benevolent organizations. It is foremost in educational and philanthropic work. It stands at the head of all the denominations in benevolences. It acts as a ready solvent of sectarian divisions. It has a glorious history, and a noble past of which it is justly proud, and its influence in shaping this nation in its early days, and laying the foundations of the free institutions which so nobly characterize it, are freely admitted by all students of history. If Congregationalism had not so lavishly given itself away for the enrichment of other denominations, it would be stronger in itself to-day. But there is some comfort in the fact that what has been our loss has been their gain.

This Congregationalism, poorly understood and greatly undervalued, in the course of time found its way to Cleveland. In the opening days of this closing century a few Congregationalists from New England blazed their way westward through the forests, and across the rivers, to what was then the far West, and settled within the present borders of this city. In those days the minds of men in New England were so holden that they could not see beyond the Hudson River, and Presbyterianism and Congregationalism went forth hand in hand, but the latter was led blindfolded. Those were the days of pioneering, and of log shanties and ox-carts; they were the days of a rude genesis; and though too frequently the Presbyterian Lion lay down with the Congregational Lamb inside, nevertheless Congregationalism was there.

The "Plan of Union" lost about two thousand Congregational churches to our order, and Presbyterianism in Ohio and Cleveland, as in many other places, got a long start by that arrangement. However, Congregationalism dared in some instances to assert itself. Archwood Avenue Church was the first church founded within what are now known as the City limits. After some years of affiliation with Presbyterians, Congregationalism, true to its inherent principles of freedom and loyalty to the right, slowly came to itself. A new movement arose which hastened the process; the anti-slavery agitation was stirring the nation's heart with its appeal for human rights. The lines everywhere were clearly and closely drawn. The result was that churches here and there, like the Euclid Avenue church, withdrew from Presbytery, and in the face of persecution and obloquy, established themselves on free and Congregational principles. Several churches were organized during the period from 1830 to 1860, but there was no great activity. From 1860 to 1880 was a period largely of centralization and local growth, but Congregationalism in the city had not yet fully come to itself, or realized its own worth. From 1880 to the present time a marked change has come over the life and character of our Cleveland Congregationalism. Among the agencies which contributed chiefly to this new and vigorous life, and more than doubled the number of Congregational churches and the relative strength of Congregationalism in the city in ten or a dozen years, may be mentioned the following: First: The organization of the Cleveland Congregational Club, which, in bringing the Congregationalists of the city and vicinity together in a social and literary way, has also begotten a confidence in Congregational ideas and methods, and developed a consciousness of strength and of union which must always lie at the basis of success. Second: The exceedingly cordial and fraternal relations of the Congregational ministers of the city, sustained by their monthly meeting, occasional picnics and friendly dinners together down town, have also contributed not a little to the solidity and healthful growth of the denomination. The providential opening also of the Bohemian mission work, with its divine compulsion of religious earnestness and activity, has been another cause of unification and growth. By its side, time, stood the Church Extension department, which was felt to be

a kindred work, but which soon demanded for itself a separate and more vigorous existence as the Congregational City Missionary Society. The Euclid Avenue Church has also been a leading agency during this period of growth. It recognized its opportunity in the growing East-End section of the city, and heroically resolved itself into a vigorous church extension society. It gave its members and gave its money, founding four of the important churches of the city, and starting a fifth enterprise



H. M. LADD, D.D.

which may yet result in something more than a beginning. The noble record made by this church is a long and important chapter in the history of our Cleveland Congregationalism. Its children are: the Madison Avenue Church, the Park Church, the Hough Avenue Church and the Lake View Church. Cleveland Congregationalism was thus thoroughly aroused, the result was the organization of the City Missionary Society, whereby all the churches co-operate in founding and sustaining new churches in the strategic and needy parts of the city. Since its organi-

zation, it has made Congregational history at a rapid rate, and could go forward still more rapidly, accomplishing greater things in the name of the Master, if it only had more means at its command.

Another element of this rapid growth of late years must not be overlooked, it is the attractive beauty of our New Testament polity as it appears to other denomiations. Those who love the American idea easily fall in love with Congregationalism. The proofs are abundant: a Church organizing itself as a Congregational church without even a single Congregationalist in it; Churches received bodily from more than one other denomination; and ministers coming frequently to us from other communions are interesting proofs of the fact.

These, then, are some of the elements that have contributed to the advance movement which has so clearly characterized the last decade. The result is that, whereas, in 1880 there were only nine churches in the City of Cleveland, to-day there are twenty-one, with four or five promising mission stations growing up rapidly into churchhood. Moreover, our churches stand at the very forefront in institutional and winter-night college work, applying Christianity to the needs of the people. They are active, wide-awake and pushing in the Master's service.

Just at present the trend of the population eastward along Euclid Avenue offers an inviting field for the further exercise of our Congregational enterprise. The present is full of inspiration, and the future is full of hope.

True to the Master whose we are, and whom we seek to serve, with our noble history back of us, we, the Congregationalists of Cleveland, propose, with Divine help, to press forward with renewed earnestness, believing that in loyalty to our own denomination, and a wise use of the advantages of our own polity, we can best serve Christ and the world.

With largest liberality towards others, co-operating with all, seeking not our own, but the things of Christ, standing for the great essentials of Truth and Right, laboring in our democratic way for a pure Christianity and a simple gospel, we set our faces toward the Kingdom with a single aim and purpose to do our part for "Christ and His Church."

THE CLEVELAND CONGREGATIONAL CONFERENCE.

BY J. W. MOORE, REGISTRAR.

THE Cleveland Congregational Conference was organized in 1853, at the "First Church on the West Side." Rev. Henry Cowles was the first moderator and registrar. The early Congregational ministers and their associates spoke with no uncertain sound regarding

JAMES W. MOORE, REGISTRAR OF CONFERENCE.

the then all-pervading theme of Slavery and State Sovereignty. The second article of the Constitution, which was adopted in 1853 and which has never been changed, shows the purpose of the Conference:

SECTION 1. It shall be a special object of this Conference to develop the true idea of Christianity by manifesting and sustaining the law of love in all human relations, and by protesting against all known sin.

The third article of the Constitution has the true ring of early Pilgrim Congregationalism, and is as follows:

ARTICLE III.

SECTION 1. The several local churches shall retain their individual rights and privileges, and no ecclesiastical authority shall ever be assumed by the Conference or be delegated to it.

The ministers who were moderators have many of them written their names high in the history of the whole country, and include such men as:

Rev. Henry Cowles,
Rev. J. A. Thome,
Rev. C. W. Torrey,
Rev. C. C. Baldwin,
Rev. John Morgan,
Rev. E. H. Fairchild,
Rev. W. H. Brewster,
Rev. Lucius Smith,
Rev. H. C Hitchcock,
Rev. J. H. Fairchild,
Rev. Judson Smith,
Rev. J. E. Twitchell,
Rev. E. P. Barrows,
Rev. James Brand,
Rev. Wm. Kincaid,
Prof. J. M. Ellis,
Rev. Henry M. Tenney,
Rev. Edwin E. Williams,
Rev. Samuel B. Shipman,
Rev. H. Melville Tenney,
Rev. J. M. Merrill,
Rev. J. R. Nichols,
Rev. Owen Jenkins,
Rev. Chas. S. Mills,
Rev. H. M. Ladd,
Rev. I. W. Metcalf.

There have been but five registrars since the Conference was organized:

Rev. Henry Cowles, who served from 1853 to 1859,
Rev. A. D. Barber, who served from 1859 to 1860,
Dr. J. D. Denham, who served from 1860 to 1873,
Dea. Horace Ford, who served from 1873 to 1892,
Dea. Jas. W. Moore, who served from 1892, the present registrar.

The Conference now consists of forty churches, with a membership on January 1, 1895, of 8,790, and whose benevolences for the year 1894 amounted to $21,600.00, with an expenditure for home expenses of $97,066.00. There were in the Sabbath-schools of Cleveland Conference during the year 1894, 9,244 members, with benevolent contributions of $1,111.00.

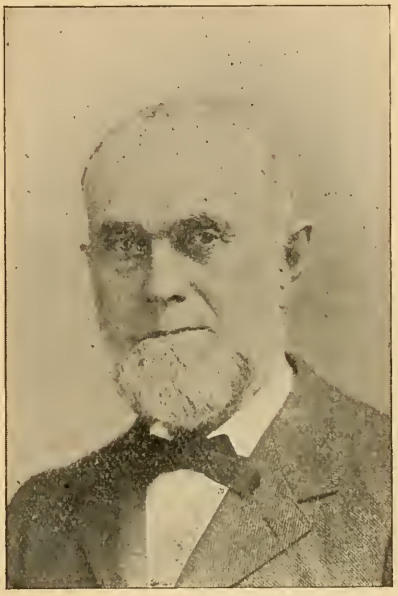
OHIO HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

THIS society, having its headquarters in Cleveland, was organized July 1, 1872. The object of the society is to diffuse the knowledge of the gospel of Jesus Christ, by aiding orthodox Congregational churches within the State that are not able to support the ministry of the word; by facilitating the organization of churches wherever they

REV. J. G. FRASER, SECRETARY.

are needed; by supplying with the preached gospel communities destitute of the same; and by co-operating with the American Congregational Missionary Society in the Work of Missions in other States and Territories.

It has an Executive Committee, who are "empowered to appoint and remove missionaries, local and general, designate their fields, make appropriations, and manage and dispose of the property of the society."



REV. D. L. LEONARD.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

From 1883—Rev. H. M. Tenney, D. D., Oberlin.

From 1886—Dea. L. F. Mellen, Cleveland.

From 1888—Rev. J. W. Hubbell, D. D., Mansfield.

From 1891—Rev. I. W. Metcalf, Cleveland.

From 1895—Rev. J. R. Nichols, Medina.

The Secretaries have been—From 1874, Rev. Samuel Wolcott, D. D.; from 1881, Rev. Josiah Strong, D. D.; from 1884, Rev. A. C. Barrows, D. D.; from 1887, Rev. J. G. Fraser, D. D.

Rev. J. G. Fraser, who has served the society as secretary since 1887, was obliged by failing health to take a vacation of six months in 1895, during which time Rev. D. L. Leonard, D. D., was acting secretary.

The office of the Secretary is in the Y. M. C. A. Building. The last annual report of the secretary says: "The constituency of the society now consists of 260 churches, including six outside the State; 151 churches made offerings as churches to Home Missions, 29 others through other channels—a total of 180, a proportion substantially the same as for some years past."

The annual estimates and appropriations made by the Executive Committee are about $14,000.

Of the twenty-one churches in Cleveland, ten have, at some time in their history, received directly from the National or Ohio Home Missionary Society, aid amounting to $13,534.71, all of which has been for salaries of pastors. These ten churches are Archwood Avenue, Irving Street, Pilgrim, West Side Welsh, East Madison Avenue, Franklin Avenue, Grace, Union, Bethlehem, Swedish. And Bethlehem church and its branches and allied work have received in addition, through the Bohemian Board, aid amounting to $48,932 in the past ten years.

BY R. O. BESWICK, SECRETARY.

TWENTY-SIX years ago in Boston, Mass., was organized the first Congregational Club in the country. Three years it stood alone. Others then followed in rapid succession, as spokes from the hub, until at the present time the list numbers fifty-two. From the Bay and the Pine-Tree states on the east coast, to the Golden Gate and Puget Sound on the west, these spokes touch seventeen of our forty-four states and the District of Columbia. At first the East claimed a large proportion of this number; but the West has fallen rapidly into line—even the far West, not counting Chicago, St. Louis and Minneapolis having eight.

Our own club was organized just twenty years ago; it stands sixth on the list, two others leading it by a few months in the same year.

It was the outgrowth of a desire among a few earnest spirits of that day for a closer unity among the Congregational churches and their membership. These men met in the parlors of the Y. M. C. A. (on the site of the now Society for Savings Bank Building on Public Square), and at that meeting, after much earnest talk and prayer, Monday night, November 8th, 1875, the Cleveland Congregational Club was formally organized by the adoption of a constitution and set of by-laws, and the election of a corps of officers and committees.

A roll call showed fifteen constituting members present, and eleven others were voted in at that first meeting, as follows:

Rev. J. E. Twitchell,
Rev. S. H. Lee,
Rev. O. D. Fisher,
Rev. Samuel Wolcott,
Rev. L. R. Royce,
Rev. Chas. T. Collins,
Rev. E. H. Votaw,
* Rev. J. G. W. Cowles,
Prof. C. H. Penfield,
Dr. A. B. Reed,
Dr. M. L. Mead,
Chas. E. Bolton,
* Marcus E. Cozad,
Jas. W. Clarke,
Seth H. Sheldon,
Alex. Forbes,
* A. G. Hopkinson,
Rev. C. W. Torrey
L. E. Holden,
Dr. J. M. Whitney,
* Stiles C. Smith,
* H. Clark Ford,
Horace Ford,
S. H. Stilson,
Albert Allyn,
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Starting with these twenty-six members, the number has varied and increased annually, until at the close of the season of 1894–95 the annual report showed a membership of two hundred.

Shortly after organizing, by general usage, the name adopted at first was changed to The Congregational Club of Cleveland and Vicinity, and in 1886, under a revision of the Constitution, this became the formal name. Ten meetings were held each year until 1887, when the number

REV. I. W. METCALF, PRESIDENT.

was changed to five. The season now opens with the October meeting and closes with that of April, omitting January. The whole number of meetings since the beginning is 157, including that of November, 1895.

In 1886, the Club made special observance of Forefathers' Day, which was so favorably received that, ever since, its observance has been an established feature of our Club life.

After the first meeting, the Club met in the parlors of Plymouth

Congregational Church until 1879. From that time till 1885, at the Forest City House, then chapels, halls and restaurants were each tried, and each in a measure found wanting; the Club ever having a secret longing for a home of its own. In 1885 this longing seemed to be realized, a temporary home being found in the Y. M. C. A. Building. But after two years' enjoyment of its new home, the Club was forced again to "board around." After a number of years at DeKlyn's, a few meetings at Army and Navy Hall, it is now holding its meetings in the banquet hall of the Grays' Armory.

At the annual meeting of 1877, ladies were invited as guests, since which time once or twice a year they have graced with their presence the meetings of the Club. So great an added interest has this been that at the present time four of the six meetings of the year are thrown open to them—the Opening meeting of the season, the Annual meeting, Forefather's Day Festival and the Rally meeting of April.

The themes which have been discussed by the Club have been timely, of vital interest, and those which at the time lay near to men's hearts. The papers presented have uniformly exhibited careful and laborious preparation, and have been of marked ability. The discussions have been stimulating and profitable. As a denominational exchange, a social centre, and a means of developing and crystallizing thought upon subjects of vital interest, the Club has an important work, peculiarly its own, to do.

It has contributed a large share to the social acquaintance and sympathy among our churches. It has been the means of the free discussion of important questions. It has aided indirectly at least in Church extension. And the present prosperity, bearing witness to the strong hold it has taken upon its members, makes it bold to invite the co-operation of all churches of our fellowship in our vicinity to aid in the furtherance of the good work.

CONSTITUTION.

ARTICLE I.

Name.—The name of this organization is The Congregational Club of Cleveland and Vicinity.

ARTICLE II.

Object.—Its object is the promotion of the interests of the cause of Christ in our Congregational Churches, through intellectual and spiritual culture, closer fellowship and acquaintance, and concert of action.

ARTICLE III.

Membership.—Membership is secured by ballot, after proposal by the Membership Committee one month previous. Fifteen votes are sufficient to elect and ten to prevent an election. A rejected candidate is not again eligible within six months.

ARTICLE IV.

Officers.—1. The officers of this Club shall be chosen annually by ballot. They shall be President, two Vice-Presidents, Secretary, Treasurer, Auditor, Executive Committee and Membership Committee, who shall perform the ordinary duties pertaining to such offices, and continue in office until their successors are elected.

R. O. BESWICK, SECRETARY.

2. The election of the individual officers of the Club shall be as follows: Printed slips shall be sent to the membership containing the names of more than one candidate for each office to be filled; the members shall designate their vote by a X after the name of their choice; the slips to be returned to the Executive Committee, and by them canvassed; the names receiving a plurality of votes cast to be announced in the Committee's nominating report to the Club, which report, on adoption, shall be equivalent to an election.

3. The Executive Committee shall consist of eight, of which the President, Secretary and Treasurer shall be *ex officio* members. This Commitee shall control the funds of the Club, subject to its approval. All matters of conference and business shall be introduced through this Committee, three members of which shall constitute a quorum. They shall also provide place and programme for meetings, and may, subject to approval, furnish refreshments for the regular meetings. They shall also act as a Nominating Committee.

4. The Membership Committee shall consist of ten. Their duty shall be to receive proposals for membership and to present the same to the Club for action. They shall also act as a Reception Committee to receive and introduce to the Club the members elect.

5. These Committees shall have power to fill vacancies in their number.

ARTICLE V.

Meetings.—1. Regular. The regular meetings are on the third Monday of October, November, December, February, March and April. The time, however, of the December and April meetings is subject to the action of the Executive Committee. The March meeting is the Annual meeting; the April meeting is a platform meeting with no supper; the December meeting is a Forefathers' Day celebration.

2. Special. Special meetings may be called on notice of not less than a week by the Executive Committee, or on written request of five members, by the president and secretary.

3. Quorum. Fifteen members constitute a quorum.

ARTICLE VI.

Support.—The admission fee is two dollars. The annual dues are five dollars for members residing within ten miles of the place of meeting, and two dollars for others, with proper reduction for fraction of a year. This entitles each member to one supper ticket for each regular meeting. These tickets are not transferable, and will be honored only for the meeting designated on their face. The dues are payable at the October meeting. No person will be enrolled as a member until after the payment of admission fee and annual dues.

ARTICLE VII.

Dismission.—1. Membership is terminated by removal from the vicinity, or one year's non-attendance, with failure to keep up dues, or by neglect to pay dues after four statements from the treasurer. 2. Membership may be terminated for cause, by a three-quarters vote of members present at a regular meeting, notice to that effect having been given at a previous regular meeting. But no member shall be thus discontinued without due notice to him.

ARTICLE VIII.

Reinstatement.—Past members may be reinstated on meeting all pending obligations, without a second admission fee.

ARTICLE IX.

Visitors.—Any member may, at his own expense, introduce visitors at a regular meeting.

ARTICLE X.

Amendment.—This Constitution may be altered at a regular meeting by a two-thirds vote, notice of such change having been given at a previous regular meeting.

PAST OFFICERS.

Presidents.—Rev. J. E. Twitchell, 1875-76; Rev. S. H. Lee, 1877; Rev. Charles Terry Collins, 1878; Rev. Samuel Wolcott, 1879; Pres. James H. Fairchild, 1880; John G. W. Cowles, 1881; Rev. T. E. Monroe, 1882; Rev. N. M. Calhoun, 1883; Rev. James Brand, 1884; Rev. Henry M. Tenney, 1885; John G. W. Cowles, Jan. '86 to June '87; Rev. H. M. Ladd, June '87 to March '88; Rev. J. M. Sturtevant, March '88-89; Rev. G. R. Leavitt, D. D., '89-90; Rev. J. G. Frazer, D. D., '90-91; Rev. J. R. Nichols, '91-92; H. Clarke Ford, '92-93; Rev. H. A. Schauffler, D. D., '93-94: Rev. J. W. Hubbell, D. D., '94-95; Rev. I. W. Metcalf, '95-96.

Secretaries.—Jas. W. Clarke, 1875-76; Julius King, 1877; H. Clark Ford, 1878-80; Thos. G. Newton, 1881; S. C. Hale, 1882-84; R. O. Beswick, 1885——

CONGREGATIONAL CITY MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF CLEVELAND.

BY REV. IRVING W. METCALF.

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The Congregational City Missionary Society is the product of an ecclesiastical evolutionary process not yet completed. Many years of devoted service and many thousands of dollars have been given by philanthropic Congregational laymen to missions not flying any denominational flag and not intended to develop into churches.

The People's Tabernacle and Music Hall, with its varied activities, including at one time an organized church which was Congregational in form but not in name, was very largely founded and supported by a prominent Congregationalist.

J. G. W. COWLES.

What may properly be called Congregational City Missionary work in Cleveland is now conducted through four agencies.

1. Individual churches have established and maintained missions. Plymouth Church's Olivet Chapel did great good for several years in one of the worst sections of the city. It was the forerunner of the Bohemian work and decreased as the latter increased. In its death it glorified God by contributing to the fruitful life of the Friendly Inn and the Salvation Army. Mt. Zion Church and the Swedish Church were organized under the fostering care of Plymouth Church. A First Church mission became Franklin Avenue Church; and Euclid Avenue Church, with a wisdom

which has been justified in all her children, generously pushed out four wisely located colonies, all of which speedily became influential, independent churches.

2. The Ohio Home Missionary Society continues to aid two of the eight churches in Cleveland, which were organized with its help, but it reduces its grants as the churches approach self-support.

3. The Bohemian Mission Board was the beginning of organized missionary work by Cleveland churches for their own city. It is composed

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ordinarily of five laymen elected by the city churches. Its management has been vigorous, consecrated and business-like. Since 1883, when it was formed, it has gained unincumbered title to three valuable church properties and the Bible Readers' Home, and it now employs eight missionaries at five different stations in Cleveland and expends nearly $5,000 a year. The Board has for several years sustained to the Ohio Home Missionary Society, and through it to the National Society, the

relation of an aided home missionary church. Its work is in Cleveland, but is of such national importance that a large share of its support rightly comes from Congregational churches in all parts of the country and to some extent from members of other denominations.

Realizing the need of a similarly effective organization for work among English-speaking people in the city; and being reluctant to multiply societies, the Cleveland churches in 1889 asked the Bohemian Board to become the Church Extension and Bohemian Mission Board. The result was a union in name but not in fact, and after a year's experiment the relation was amicably dissolved, and the Bohemian Board resumed its previous form.

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4. The Church Extension Committee then became incorporated as the Congregational City Missionary Society, substantially on the Chicago plan. Of its twenty-five trustees, all but six are laymen. For nearly two years it had no superintendent. From March 1, 1894, to December 1, 1895, Rev. Irving W. Metcalf devoted one-third of his time to the Society's superintendency, in addition to his duties as associate pastor of Pilgrim Church.

The Society's first mission was what is now the Lakewood church. Its first location was on Detroit street, a little west of Highland avenue, but it later moved its temporary chapel to an eligible lot on the south-

east corner of Detroit street and Highland avenue. It is a fully organized church, with Rev. H. A. N. Richards as its pastor, and gives promise of becoming for the more slowly developing West Side of Cleveland what the strong Euclid Avenue Church is for the East Side. Its present lot, which is large enough for all future needs, is almost exactly the same distance west of the Public Square that the Euclid avenue church is east of it. Mr. C. B. Ferrell is the Sunday-school superintendent.

The Lorain Street Mission occupies at present a rented store-room on

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Lorain street, near the city limits. A Sunday-school has been maintained in charge of John G. Simon as superintendent since June, 1893. The superintendent of the City Missionary Society began Sunday evening services in March, 1894, which have continued with increasing attendance and interest. During the summer of 1895 the work was for six weeks in charge of Mr. Charles H. Powell of Oberlin Seminary, and later of Mr. Mark L. Thomsen, who made a thorough house to house canva of the field, finding some four hundred families within a radius of half a

mile of the Mission, and no other English-speaking church enterprise within that territory.

The Free Congregational Church and Society of Euclid Village was organized in 1852. It has held no stated services since 1878, but has maintained its legal organization. June 15, 1893, at a regularly called meeting, the trustees were authorized to file a petition in court for leave to transfer the real estate and all personal property to the Congregational City Missionary Society, on condition that the proceeds of the

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same be used in the purchase of a lot in East Cleveland hamlet, and erecting thereon a church building for a Congregational church. This transfer was completed in 1894, and the City Missionary Society in 1895 purchased a lot on the corner of Euclid and Page avenues, in East Cleveland. On this eligible lot a building will soon be erected.

Neither the Euclid Avenue church nor the Ohio Home Missionary Society expects to undertake any further work in Cleveland, but

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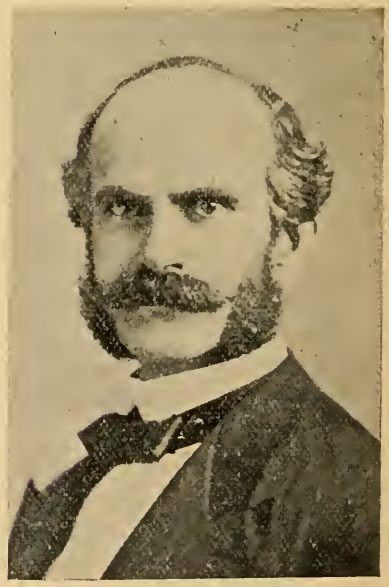

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they retain for the present their voluntarily diminishing share of responsibility for enterprises they have started. The Bohemian Board and the City Missionary Society now represent the Cleveland churches in the starting of new missions and churches in Cleveland and vicinity, and each has its own well-defined field.

T. G. NEWTON, TREASURER.

L. M. PITKIN.

All four of these agencies work with harmony and enthusiasm for the extension of Congregationalism in Greater Cleveland. The City Missionary Society is under the leadership of some of Cleveland's best business men and has come to the Kingdom for the time of Cleveland's largest opportunities in Congregational Church Extension.

W. B. DAVIS.

The society holds an annual meeting in November or December of each year. At its meeting December 2, 1895, Superintendent Metcalf presented a final report for the year, showing the work done. The treasurer's report showed $3,149.-47 expended during the year, and $224.99 on hand. It was voted to establish a permanent fund to consist of all legacies not specifically given for other purposes, all contributions specifically made for the purpose and two per cent. of all other contributions.

Addresses were made by President H. Clark Ford Dr. J. G. Fraser, Rev. Dr. Charles F. Thwing, Mr. L. M. Pitkin, Rev. Dr. H. M. Ladd and Rev. Chas. S. Mills.

ARCHWOOD AVENUE CHURCH.

THE ARCHWOOD AVENUE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

THIS oldest of the Congregational churches in Cleveland has already passed its three-quarter centennial, having been organized July 25, 1819, by missionaries of the Presbyterian Church, with six members. For almost a half century—until 1867—it was connected with the Cleveland Presbytery, in accordance with that "plan of union" which in all those years did so much to establish Congregational generosity and Presbyterian churches.

During its earlier years of Presbygational existence, the church was served by Reverends William McLane, S. I. Bradstreet, B. B. Drake and Thomas Lee. The church life, although feeble, was continuous, regular services being maintained until 1840. From this time there was a lapse or suspension of church activity, as so frequently happens in the case of feeble, struggling churches. This break in the continuous life of the church lasted until 1846, when Rev. B. Foltz became acting pastor. Then came a second suspension of services, until in 1851 Rev. Calvin Durfee was called to the pastorate. The records of those earlier days reveal some interesting facts, which bear on the general religious conditions of that time.

This church, it is interesting to note, although organized and fostered by Presbytery, is referred to repeatedly in its records as "the Congregational Church of Brooklyn." It was incorporated as the "First Congregational Society of Brooklyn"—and there is the record of a "meeting of the Congregational Society of Brooklyn held on the first Monday of March, 1831." As indicative of certain conditions in the forties are a few such records as these, which show that a certain deacon was subjected to discipline because he was seen "coming from the direction of Mr. Brigs's tavern"—in a state of intoxication. Also we learn that a certain other brother and his wife were expelled from the church because they believed in "universal salvation." Another deacon was called up because of "certain rumors," one being that he used "very profane language." Still another interesting record is that of a "resolution," presented in January, '47. "*Resolved*, That we will neither invite a slave-holder to our pulpit, nor welcome him to the Communion table; and that we will have no fellowship with the unfruitful works of darkness, but rather reprove them." This good anti-slavery utterance was debated and—*lost*. So much for what may be called the "ancient history" of a church. The bright and fruitful pastorate of Rev. J. B. Allen, extending from 1856 to 1867, brings in the "modern history." Under his wise and sacrificing labors the church took on new life and strength. It was under his wise and faith-

ful administration that the church came to have a home in its own building, and a place of real influence in the community. Mr. Allen, although remaining true to his Presbyterian training, was true also in his love and care for this last church of his active pastorate. Here he made his home until called home, and very precious indeed to the whole church is the memory of his gentle, loyal, faithful life. In connection with this middle period of the church life, three names are worthy of especial mention.

REV J. W. HARGRAVE.

James Sears, Abel Hinckley and Hiram Welch all gave the strength of their manhood in the service of the church. Their connection with it covers the years from 1834 to 1884, and all three served the church most faithfully as deacons.

Since the pastorate of Rev. J. B. Allen the following men have served the church as pastors: Rev. W. H. Rice from 1867 to 1868, Rev. C. L. Hamlin from 1868 to 1872, Rev. J. A. Bates from 1872 to 1874, Rev. E.

H. Votaw from 1874 to 1877, Rev. J. W. Hargrave from 1878 to 1882, Rev. J. M. Merrill from 1882 to 1889, Rev. George H. Peeke from 1890 to 1893, Rev. J. W. Hargrave from 1894.

During the first pastorate of Rev. J. W. Hargrave the old church property on Newburg street was sold, lots bought on Archwood and the new church and parsonage erected. The ministry of Rev. J. M. Merrill was marked by steady growth, the abundant fruit of his labors being still manifest. During the pastorate of Rev. George H. Peeke, who served the church for three years and a half with distinguished ability, the parsonage was enlarged and greatly needed improvements made in the church building. Since the return of Mr. Hargrave, in January, 1894, the church, in common with others, has been feeling very keenly the financial depression. It, however, during '94, met its current expenses, reduced somewhat its indebtedness, and more than doubled its benevolent contributions, and members have been received at almost every Communion season. While still feeling most keenly the financial stringency, the church is planning for and hopefully expecting the enlarged building which is absolutely necessary to its future growth and efficiency. Considerable money has already been pledged for enlargement and the work will be undertaken at the earliest possible moment.

Pastor, J. W. Hargrave, 13 Archwood avenue; Clerk, Jos: Ray Peck, 78 Archwood avenue; Treasurer, George L. Hull, 35 Delmar avenue; Sunday-school Superintendent, W. H. Peters, 161 Marvin avenue.

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Woman's Foreign Missionary Society—President, Mrs. I. N. Turner, 43 Luverne street; secretary, Mrs. O. L. Neff, 18 Archwood avenue; treasurer, Mrs. L. C. Pixley, 471 Denison avenue.

Ladies' Social Union and Home Missionary Society—President, Mrs. Paul Kitzsteiner, 35 Luverne street; Secretary, Mrs. J. J. Barnes, 50 Archwood avenue; Treasurer, Mrs. H. M. Peck, 78 Archwood avenue.

CHURCH CALENDAR.

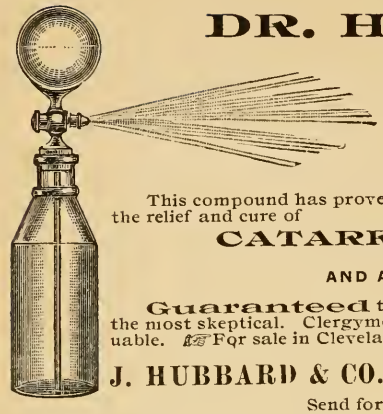
Sunday—9:15 a. m., Sunday-school; 10:30, morning worship; 3 p. m., Junior C. E. Society; 6 p. m., Senior C. E. Society; 7 p. m., evening worship.

Tuesday—2:30 each alternate week, Ladies' Foreign Missionary Society.

Wednesday—2:30 each alternate week, Ladies' Social Union; 6:30, Boys' Brigade.

Friday—7 p. m., prayer meeting; 8 p. m., choir rehearsal.

Saturday—7 p. m., Physical Culture class.



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FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

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THE Church was organized under the title of "The First Presbyterian Church of Brooklyn, Cuyahoga County, Ohio." The first entry in the ancient Church Record Book begins as follows:

"RECORD OF THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN BROOKLYN, OHIO."

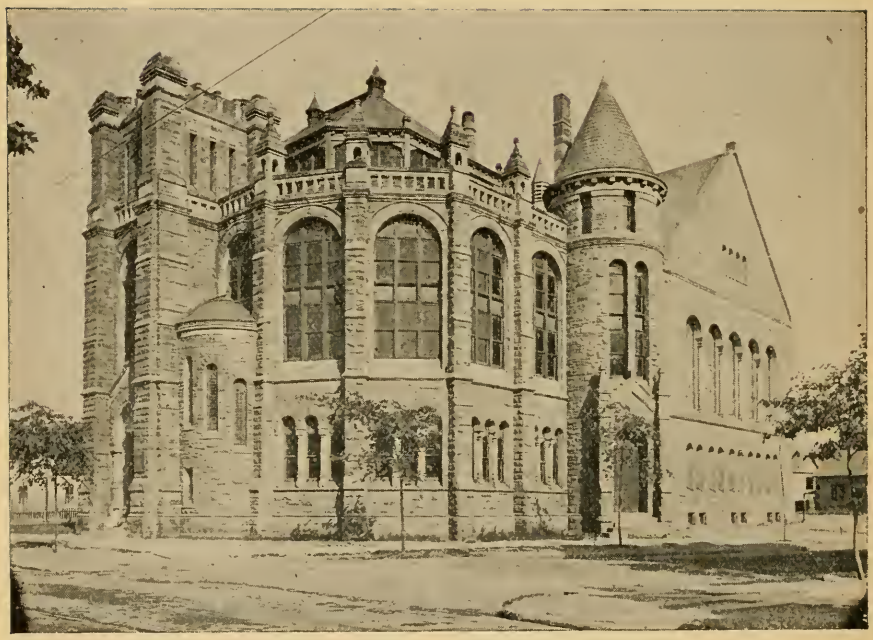
"WHEREAS, In the Providence of God it became clearly the duty of professing Christians in this vicinity to organize a church in Brooklyn Village (so called), after prayerful consideration of the subject, a season of fasting and prayer was appointed by those who expected to unite in said organization, to be observed on Thursday, the 18th of December, 1834."

This meeting was held in a brick school house on Vermont street. At this meeting the Rev. John Keep of Oberlin was the moderator, and steps were taken for the immediate organization of the church; three days after (December 21, 1834), the organization was effected, Rev. Mr. Keep officiating. Forty persons* covenanted with each other and with their God in this organization, as follows:

Mrs. Sarah Appleby,
Levi Beebe,
Mr. and Mrs. D. Buxton,
Cordelia H. Buxton (Mrs. S. H. Sheldon)
Mary A. Buxton,
Mr. and Mrs. Newcomb Carter,
James F. Clark,
Mr. and Mrs. Ezekiel Folsom,
A. P. G. Hammond,
Mr. and Mrs. John Harris,
Phœbe Harris,
N. R. Haskell,
Martha M. Hill,
Amorett H. Hulbut,
Elizabeth Folsom,
Mr. and Mrs. Francis Lewis,
Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Lyman,
Elmira Lyon,
Jane Maguire,
Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Page,
Maria Culver,
Mrs. Eunice Smith,
Mr. and Mrs. B. Stedman,
Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Stedman,
Anson Southerland,
Esther Taft,
Catherine Taylor (Mrs. M. C. Lufkin),
Mrs. Ursula Taylor,
Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Wheat,
William Wheat.

Public worship was first held in the brick school house on Vermont street. A temporary house of worship was erected and dedicated May 3, 1835, in the rear of the lot southeast corner of Detroit and State streets. The church, under its first organization, was served by the following ministers: Rev. John Keep, Rev. J. D. Pickands, Rev. H. A. Reed and Rev. Wm. P. Russell.

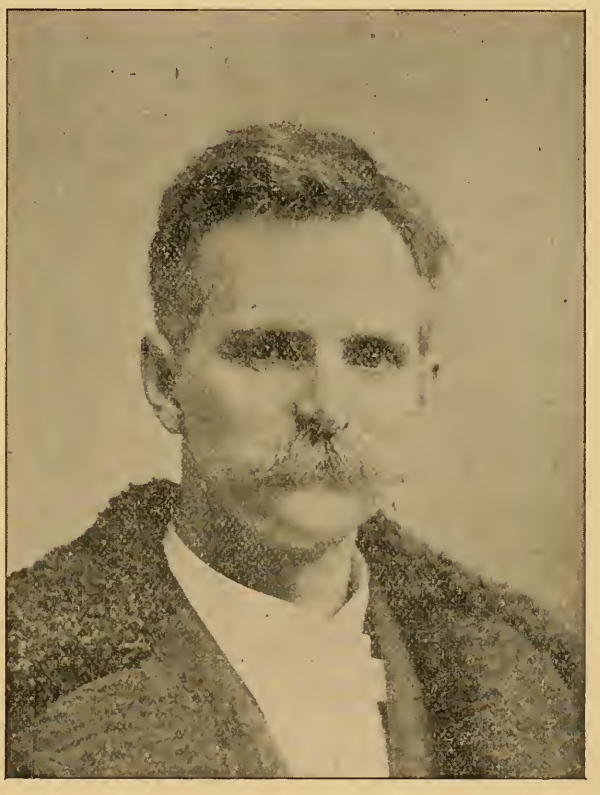
*One of this number is yet living and is still connected with the Church—Mrs. S. H. Sheldon.



FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

In February, 1838, forty-four members of the church withdrew for the purpose of organizing a Congregational church. In the summer of 1841, a reunion of the two churches was effected on a Congregatio-Presbyterian basis, the eldership being dispensed with and a committee being established, the church continuing its connection with the Presbytery.

With this reunion commenced the pastoral labors of Rev. S. B.



REV. J. W. MALCOLM.

Canfield. His ministry closed in the fall of 1844. He was succeeded by Rev. C. L. Watson, whose pastorate terminated September, 1848. With this pastorate the church ceased to be connected with the Presbytery, and became practically an independent Congregational body.

In December of the same year, Rev. Jas. A. Thome entered upon pastoral labors, which were continued for a period of nearly twenty-three

years. In the early part of his ministry a brick church was erected on the front part of the lot, and was dedicated August 14, 1851. On the twenty-seventh day of February, 1856, Mr. Thome was formally installed as pastor of the church.

On the eighteenth of October, 1857, the church, which had been unassociated since severing its connection with the Presbytery, decided by vote to unite with the Cleveland Congregational Conference, and being received by that body, has since been known as the First Congregational church. Mr. Thome resigned his pastorate and was dismissed by advice of Council, July 2, 1871. He died at Chattanooga, Tenn., March 4, 1873.

On the nineteenth of February, 1872, the church called Rev. S. H. Lee to its pastorate. Accepting the call, he was installed June 6 of the same year. During Mr. Lee's pastorate, the mission Sabbath-school, on Detroit street, which previously had been union in character, was formally adopted by the church in 1873, and a new one established on Harbor street in 1874.

In August, 1874, Rev. S. B. Shipman was invited by the church to take charge of the work in these missions. As a result of his labors, the Franklin Avenue Congregational Church was organized from the Detroit Street mission, with thirty members, November 21, 1876.

Mr. Lee served the church until September 24, 1878, when, having resigned the pastorate, he was dismissed by advice of Council. After his dismission, the church was served for brief periods by different ministers until March 7, 1880, when the ministerial services of Rev. H. M. Tenney commenced, his formal installation taking place April 27 of the same year.

During Mr. Tenney's ministry the question of a new location and church building was agitated. The building of a new railway in 1881, necessitating the sale of the Harbor street property, opened the way for the purchase of the present property. Plans for a new building were adopted, and on April 23, 1883, the cornerstone of the building we are now occupying was laid; the front part of it was furnished at a cost (including land) of $36,000, and was dedicated December 20, 1885.

The abandoning of Harbor Street Mission led to the organization of a Sunday-school on Train street, which, in time, was succeeded by Cyril Chapel and Grace Congregational Church.

Mr. Tenney, after a nine years' pastorate, resigned, to accept a call to the Second Congregational Church of Oberlin, in May, 1889. His ministry was successful and loving, and his dismissal was agreed to with extreme reluctance. He was succeeded by Rev. A. E. Thomson, who was installed October 2, 1889.

During Mr. Thomson's pastorate the work on the new auditorium was begun, the cornerstone being laid in April, 1891. He resigned March 25, to accept a call to the First Congregational Church, Yankton, South Dakota, and was dismissd by Council April 13, 1892.

The ministerial services of the present pastor, Rev. John W. Malcolm,

commenced September 11, 1892. The auditorium was finished during the second year of his ministry, at a cost of $28,000, and was formally dedicated December 17, 1893.

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THE SOCIETY.

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OUR FORCES.

THE CHURCH.

MEMBERSHIP.—The conditions of membership are: Satisfactory evidence of piety, Baptism and Assent to the Articles of Faith and the Covenant.

OFFICERS.—The stated officers of the Church are a Pastor, Deacons, Deaconesses, Church Committee, Clerk, Treasurer, Auditor and S. S. Superintendent.

PRAYER MEETING.—Friday, 7 p. m.

ROLL CALL MEETING.—Third Friday in April and October.

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER.—First Sabbath in each alternate month, beginning with February.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM.—Of Children, on the Sabbath morning known as Children's Day;" of Adults, on the Communion Sabbath.

PREPARATORY LECTURE.—Friday night immediately preceeding Communion Sabbath.

THE ANNUAL MEETING is held on the Monday night preceding the first Saturday in January.

THE SOCIETY.

(Incorporated February 23, 1835.)

NAME.—The name of this body is the First Congregational Society.

MEMBERSHIP.—The following persons are entitled to membership: All church members in good and regular standing. All regular attendants upon the meetings of the congregation who contribute yearly to the support of the Church or Society.

OFFICERS.—The officers of the Society are: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, Auditor and not less than five Trustees.

THE ANNUAL MEETING is held on the first Monday night after the first Saturday in January.

THE SABBATH SCHOOL.

(Organized about 1835.)

THE CONDITIONS OF MEMBERSHIP.—Any person of good behavior, of any age, may become a member of our Sabbath School.

OFFICERS.—The officers are Superintendent, Secretary, Treasurer, Auditor, Librarian (and their Assistants), Chorister and Organist.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR SOCIETY.

SENIOR.

(Organized 1887.)

NINETY ACTIVE MEMBERS.

President, Wm J. Fleming; Secretary, Malcolm C. Willis.

Prayer Meetings.—Tuesdays, 7:00.

Roll Call Meetings.—Fourth Tuesday in each month.

Missionary Meetings.—Second Tuesday in each alternate month, beginning with February.

Business Meetings.—At call of President.

Annual Meeting.—Last meeting.

JUNIOR.

(Organized 1892.)

FORTY-SIX MEMBERS.

Superintendent, - - - - - - - Lewis H. Smith.
Pianist, - - - - - - - - Lilla F. Spelman.

Meetings.—Sunday afternoon, 2:30.

This Society is under the watchful care of the Senior C. E. Society, and its officers are elected at their annual meeting.

WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

(Organized 1871)

EIGHTY-SEVEN MEMBERS.

Object.—Auxiliary to the W. B. M. I., to promote interest in the cause of Missions in foreign lands, and to raise and send funds in aid thereof.

Membership.—All women of the congregation contributing regularly to the support of Foreign Missions through this Society.

President, - - - -	Mrs. F. A. Coburn.
Secretary, - - - - -	Mrs. J. W. Malcolm.
Treasurer, - - - -	Mrs. R. O. Beswick.

Meetings.—First Wednesday in each month, 2:30 P. M.
Annual Meeting.—First Wednesday in January.

WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

(Organized ——)

SEVENTY MEMBERS.

Object.—To promote and stimulate interest in Home Missionary work as carried on by our Congregational Missionary Societies, and to aid them by sympathy, prayer and means so far as possible.

Membership—All women of the congregation who pay annually a contribution for this cause of at least fifty cents.

President, - - -	Kate E. Dutton.
Secretary, - - -	Mrs. L. A. Ferguson.
Treasurer, - - -	Mrs. A. H. Bailey.

Meetings.—Third Wednesday in each month, 2:30 P. M.
Annual Meeting.—Third Wednesday in January.

LADIES' AID SOCIETY.

(Organized in the early years of the Church.)

Object.—To foster the spirit of sociableness in the church by means of monthly socials, readings entertainments of various kinds; and to raise money for furnishing and other purposes of like nature.

Membership.—Every lady in the congregation is supposed to be a member; every member is expected to pay annually 25 cents.

Meetings.—At call of President.
Socials.—Second Wednesday in each month.
Annual Meeting.—In January.

President, - - -	Mrs. E. W. Laird.
Secretary and Treasurer, - -	Mrs. W. A. Babcock.

THE CHURCH CHOIR.

(Organized March 20, 1894.)

FORTY-ONE ACTIVE, TEN HONORARY MEMBERS.

Object.—To promote the interest of music in the Church; to supply music at the Sunday services, and at such other services as the Music Committee or the pastor may suggest.

Conditions of Membership.—Good moral character; ability to read music; recommendation of the Membership Committee.

Rehearsals.—Tuesday night, 7:45.

Business Meetings—Call of president.

Annual Meeting.—First meeting in March.

OFFICERS.

President,	Paul Lemperly.
Secretary and Treasurer,	C. F. Dutton, Jr.
Conductor,	Geo. A. Monasmith.
Organist,	Mary C. Wallingford.

THE MEN'S CLUB.

(Organized November 26, 1894.)

NINETY-FIVE MEMBERS.

Object.—To increase the interest and effectiveness of the Sunday evening and other services of our church, and to promote the social welfare of the members of the church and community.

Membership.—All men who wish to further the object of the Club, as set forth above, and who shall pay an annual fee of one dollar after signing the Constitution.

Meetings.—First Monday night in each month.

President,	O. N. Steele.
Secretary,	H. G. Hopkinson.
Treasurer,	D. C. Reed.

This Club has charge of the Sunday evening service, and publishes the weekly leaflet, *Work and Worship*. Its work is done through five efficient committees: On Program and Printing; on Music; on Ushers and Collection; on Invitation and Welcome, and on Membership.

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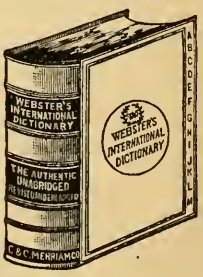

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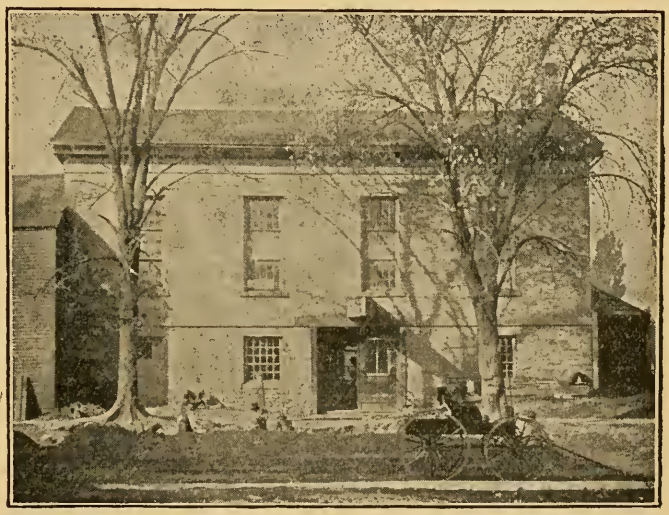


FROM A PHOTOGRAPH BY HENRY M. LADD.

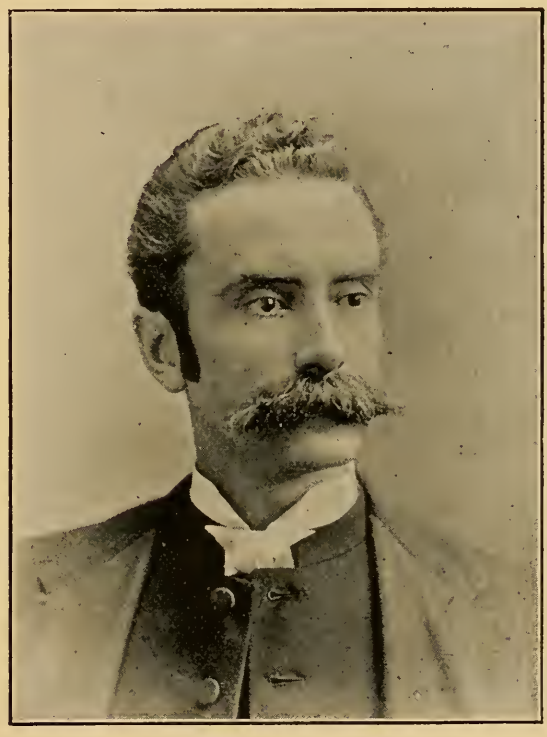
On November 30, 1843, a Presbyterian church of nineteen members was formed, eighteen of whom were Congregationalists by birth and training. The old stone school house continued for a short time to be the place of meeting, but the enterprise depended on obtaining temporary places and preachers for two years; the first settled pastorate being that of Rev. Anthony McReynolds, which began October 19, 1845; and ten days after steps were taken to begin the building of a church, 40 x 60, which is still standing on Doan street near Euclid, and which was dedicated Thursday, September 29, 1849, having cost $3,300.

The church was incorporated as the "First Presbyterian Church of

EUCLID AVENUE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

East Cleveland" December 22, 1847, at which time the membership was sixty-two.

About December 10, 1848, Rev. C. L. Watson succeeded Rev. Mr. McReynolds, and served about eighteen months, being followed by Rev. C. W. Torrey, who was pastor about nine years, during which time the church separated from Presbytery on account of the slavery question, and was known as an independent Presbyterian church.



H. M. LADD, D.D.

Rev. A. D. Barber, who was employed May 5, 1858, as an assistant to Mr. Torrey, was engaged as full pastor from March 24, 1859, to May 5, 1860.

The Rev. Albert M. Richardson, from Austinburg, almost immediately succeeded him, and under his pastorate two important changes were made, first, in the name of the church, which appears in 1862 as the "First Congregational Church of East Cleveland;" and, second, the building at the corner of Doan street became too small, and July 3, 1866,

the cornerstone of a new building at Logan street was laid, and the edifice completed and dedicated January 8, 1867. That building was 50 x 88 feet, of brick with stone trimmings, with a chapel in the rear 28 x 40 feet; the audience room had a seating capacity of 600, and the total cost was about $25,000. In its day the building was considered one of the finest, as it was the largest in the neighborhood.

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The Rev. J. E. Twitchell of Mansfield, O., became pastor March 1, 1870, on a salary of $3,000, which was increased to $4,000 when he was installed on July 10, 1874.

The Ecclesiastical Society changed its corporate name to the "Euclid Avenue Congregational Church," on January 4, 1872.

After a pastorate of twelve years, during which many prominent men

were added to the church, Mr. Twitchell left in November, 1882, for New Haven, Conn., having seen the membership reach 700.

Rev. Henry M. Ladd began his work May 1, 1883, being installed on the twenty-ninth of the same month. He came fresh from a successful African exploration under the American Missionary Association, with a trained skill in leadership of men and affairs, so that the years of his ministry have been a period of marked activity on the part of pastor and people.

The church, which had outgrown its first edifice in seventeen years, had in the same period exceeded the capacity of the second house, and the task of erecting a building of solid stone, which should "be good enough for the rich man and not too good for the poor man," was begun. The result was the present beautiful structure, homelike, yet attractive in all its parts. The large and beautiful windows were the first of their kind in the city, and those in memory of Captain Bradley and his daughter are especially interesting, both as rich works of art and as showing for the first time that glass could be folded so as to represent drapery. The new house was completed at a cost of $35,000, though it could not now be duplicated for twice that amount. It was dedicated, free of debt, September 25, 1887.

But this church, which has become the "mother" of churches, was not to be satisfied with a splendid home of its own; it had already tasted of the delights of mission work when, in 1872, a Sunday-school was organized under the lead of B. F. Whiteman, in the homes about the corner of East Madison avenue and Quincy street, which grew so as to need a house for itself. One was built for it by the Euclid avenue people and dedicated January 1, 1875, and a church of 22 members organized, with Rev. O. D. Fisher established as minister over it.

A second enterprise on Hough avenue resulted in the organization of a church at the corner of Hough avenue and Crawford road, under the name of the Hough Avenue Branch of the Euclid Avenue Congregational Church, February 11, 1890, with 46 members, which became independent March 18, 1891, with 111 members and Rev. I. W. Metcalf pastor. A third enterprise was undertaken at the corner of Doan and Crawford, called the North Branch of Euclid Avenue Congregational Church; which was afterward moved to the corner of Cullison and Crawford and named Park Congregational Church, with M. L. Berger as pastor and C. M. Preston as Sunday-school superintendent, with 47 members, now 165.

A fourth church grew out of work at Lake View, begun in 1887, as mission effort for the Italians, later it was known as "The Lake View Assembly of Euclid Avenue Church," and at last was formally organized as Lake View Congregational Church on December 20, 1894, with 115 members and Rev. A. B. Cristy pastor.

A fifth enterprise was carried on for nearly five years, 1885-1889, at the corner of Woodland Hills avenue and Arthur street which, though it grew rapidly, was given up for the time being for lack of suitable accommodations.

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By such enterprises this church has shown a true sense of its responsibilities to the neighborhood about it, and has done more to establish Congregational principles among us than any other single church.

Dr. Ladd's pastorate has also been blessed in those constant accessions to membership which encourage a minister's heart and strengthen his hands. The church has also been led to take a leading part in several important national gatherings, notably the meeting of the American Board in October, 1888, and of the American Missionary Association in 1891, and of the Woman's Board of the Interior, in October, 1895. Naturally the church has been alive with missionary spirit and numbers active missionaries among its members.

The regular benevolences of the church have been among the largest in the state, in addition to the private assistance rendered by individual members to innumerable charities.

The tenth anniversary of the present pastorate was fittingly observed by a large gathering of friends at home and from abroad, and the presentation of beautiful and costly presents to Dr. Ladd and his family. The speeches made on this occasion have been preserved in pamphlet form. From October 26 to November 2, 1893, was observed as a semi-centennial jubilee week, and at that time a beautiful souvenir was prepared by Hon. Elroy M. Avery, giving an elaborate history of the enterprise and preserving the pictures of the leading workers for future generations.

Among the effective workers for our church life in the city are many members of this church, as Mr. J. W. Moore, for three years registrar of Cleveland Conference; H. Clark Ford, the only president of our City Missionary Society; L. V. Denis, president of the C. E. Union for Cleveland and vicinity; Miss Miriam Smith, secretary of the C. E. Committee for the Cleveland C. E. Convention; Rev. J. G. Fraser, secretary of the Ohio Home Missionary Society; President Thwing, of Western Reserve University; Horace Ford, for twenty years registrar of Cleveland Conference and secretary of our Bohemian Mission Board.

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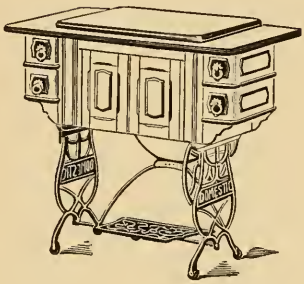

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Ingersol, Mrs. Elizabeth..Detroit, Mich.
Jaynes, Mrs. Celia C...1187 E. Madison
Jenny, N. D.....21 Hollingsworth Ct.
Jenny, Mrs. Susan.21 Hollingsworth Ct.
Jenkins, Miss Amy H...10 Logan Place
Jenkins, Miss Franc L...10 Logan Place
Jay, Mrs. R. G.....930 Logan Av.
Jones, Helen L.....1463 Cedar Av.
Keeler, Mrs. Cora B....720 Republic St.
Kellogg, J. S.....122 Streator Av.
Kellogg, Mrs. E. L.....122 Streator Av.
Kellogg, E. J.....713 Logan Av.
Kellogg, Mrs. Mary D....713 Logan Av.
Kellar, Mrs. Libbie M....264 Bolton Av.
Kendall, Mrs. H. E.....Amesbury Av.
Kinney, Miss Muriel...343 Harkness Av.
Kilby, C. H.....858 Fairmount St.
Kilby, Mrs. Kitty....858 Fairmount St.
Kimberley, Mrs. E.....893 Doan St.
King, Julius.....2097 Euclid Av.
King, Mrs. Carrie C.....2097 Euclid Av.
King, Fred W.....2097 Euclid Av.
King, Walter G.....108 Tilden Av.
King, Mrs. W. G.....108 Tilden Av.
King, Burnham W.....N. Y. City
King, Mrs. Annie L.....N. Y. City
King, Clifford J.....N. Y. City
King, Mrs. Clifford J.....N. Y. City
Knapp, Miss Josephine...81 Bolton Av.
Knauff, Marie Seville....877 Bolton Av.
Knight, T. S.....1370 Cedar Av.
Knight, Mrs. Francis A.1370 Cedar Av.
Krabill, A. Gustave.....72 Oakdale St.
Krabill, Mrs. Helen M...853 Oakdale St.
Kniffin, Mrs. Nellie.....148 Murray Hill
Kendall, W. L.....1329 Cedar Av.
Kester, Miss Libbie H...2186 Euclid Av.
Ladd, Rev. Henry M.....820 Logan Av.
Ladd, Mrs. Sarah H.....820 Logan Av.
Ladd, Mary Kitchel.....820 Logan Av.
Ladd, Charlotte Edith....820 Logan Av.
Ladd, Clarence H.....820 Logan Av.
Lane, W. S.....623 E. Prospect St.
Lane, Mrs. W. S.....623 E. Prospect St.
Leavenworth, C. G.....216 Oakdale St.
Leavenworth, Mrs. Julia E.216 Oakdale
Leitch, W. J.....789 Doan St.
Lewis, W. E.....9 Logan Place
Lewis, Mrs. Addie M.....9 Logan Place
Lewis, G. W.....65 Bolton Av.
Lewis, Miss Sarah Louise.65 Bolton Av.
Lewis, C. B.....67 Oakdale St.
Lewis, Mrs. C. B.....67 Oakdale St.
Lewis, Mrs. Amanda M....772 Republic
Low, Mrs. Fannie W...773 Republic St.
Loomis, Mrs. Warren.....64 Oakdale St.
Loomis, Henry T....703 E. Prospect St.
Loomis, Mrs. Lida C.703 E. Prospect St.
Loomis, Herbert C....196 Bellflower Av.
Loomis, Mrs. Minnie N...196 Bellflower
Loomis, Mrs. Margaretta.196 Bellflower
Ludwig, Alice H.....737 Republic St.
Ludwig, Addie B.....737 Republic St.
Luster, S. W.....88 Oakdale St.
Luster, Mrs. M. S.....88 Oakdale St.

Lenz, Mr. Ferdinand.....Buffalo, N. Y.
May, John U.....England
May, Mrs. Hulda O.....England
Marion, Miss Ella.....Hower Block
Marsh, William E.....32 Deering St.
Marsh, Mrs. Mary J.....32 Deering St.
Marsh, Charles W.....32 Deering St.
Marcellus, Mrs. U. I...344 Dunham Av.
Mason, O. L.....496 Bolton Av.
Mason, Mrs. O. L.....496 Bolton Av.
Mathews, Mrs. Margaret.62 Stearns St.
Maydole, Mr.....Dorm. College
Mears, Tom.....789½ Doan St.
Mears, Mrs. Sadie J.....
Mead, John.....1702 Cedar Av.
Mead, Mary.....1702 Cedar Av.
Metcalf, Leslie J.....81 Bolton Av.
Miller, R. G.....769 Genesee Av.
Miller, Mrs. Lucy A....769 Genesee Av.
Miller, Edith L.....769 Genesee Av.
Mitchell, Elizabeth.....775 Doan St.
Mixer, Mrs. Mary.....392 Bolton Av.
Miller, Mrs. Lucy A....34 Wilbur Place
Miller, Miss Anna L....34 Wilbur Place
Miller, Miss M. J.Mount Hermon, Mass.
Miller, Mrs. George.....963 Logan Av.
Millard, James F.....875 Doan St.
Millard, Mrs. J. F.....875 Doan St.
Millard, William C.....2290 Euclid Av.
Millard, Mrs. Cora A....2290 Euclid Av.
Miller, Prof. Dayton.Hower Blk, Euclid
Miller, Mrs. Dayton..Hower Blk, Euclid
Mills, G. T.....635 East Prospect St.
Mills, Mrs. G. T...635 East Prospect St.
Morehouse, Clarence F..1375 Euclid Av.
Morehouse, Mrs. Nettie..1375 Euclid Av.
Morse, Charles C...1177 E. Madison Av.
Morse, Mrs. Jennie F...1177 E. Madison
Morse, Mrs. Dora.....308 Hough Av.
Morris, Mrs. Belle.....793 Republic St.
Morris, Miss.....93 Republic St.
Morris, Alice B.....93 Republic St.
Morley, T. D...E. Prospect, cor. Cornell
Morley, Prof. E. W.....23 Cutler St.
Morley, Mrs. E. W.....23 Cutler St.
Morgan, Geo. C.....474 Russell Av.
Morgan, Florence B....Fairmount P. O.
Morgan .....833 Bolton Av.
Morgan, Mrs.....943 Logan Av.
Moore, James W.....836 Hough Av.
Moore, Mrs. Emily C.....836 Hough Av.
Moses, I. H.....2186 Euclid Av.
Moses, Mrs. I. H.....2186 Euclid Av.
Moses, Alonzo C.....2186 Euclid Av.
Moses, Sylvester C.....2186 Euclid Av.
Myers, Thomas C.....2088 Euclid Av.
Myers, Mrs. Clara T....2088 Euclid Av.
Myers, Clara Belle.....2088 Euclid Av.
Myers, Julia E.....2088 Euclid Av.
Myer, P. D.....18 Wilbur Place
McDonald, Mrs. Ella J...908 Logan Av.
McClure, J. W.....19 Vienna St.
McClure, Mrs. Rebecca....19 Vienna St.
McClure, Lottie Alma.....19 Vienna St.
McClure, Sarah Bell.....19 Vienna St.
McClure, Charles J.....19 Vienna St.
McFarland, William.....380 St. Clair St.
McFarland, Mrs. Wm...380 St. Clair St.
McFarland, Edwin W..380 St. Clair St.
McKinstry, Mrs. W. A..364 E. Prospect
Morgan, Mrs. Effie McF.....474 Russell
Naumann, Chas.....24 Dorm. College
Naumann, Mrs. Nettie (l. v.).....
Neff, William A.....860 Doan St.
Neff, Mrs. Eliza H.....860 Doan St.
Neff, Frank H.....860 Doan St.
Neff, H. Allison.....860 Doan St.
Norris, Henry L.....1504 Cedar Av.
Norris, Mrs. Luch.....1504 Cedar Av.
Norris, Isaac.....1504 Cedar Av.
Northrup, Mrs. Mary...916 Oakdale St.
Norton, Miss Nellie.....110 Vienna St.
Noville, Mrs. Henry.....969 Logan Av.
Noville, Miss Ida K.....969 Logan Av.
Noville, Henry.....969 Logan Av.
Noville, Lillie O.....969 Logan Av.
Noville, Elsie.....969 Logan Av.
Odell, A. A.....824 Logan Av.
Odell, Mrs. E. M.....824 Logan Av.
Odell, Arthur R.....824 Logan Av.
Odell, Maggie W.....824 Logan Av.
Odell, Joseph M.....81 Streator Av.
Odell, Jeanette L.....81 Streator Av.
Odell, Henrietta.....81 Streator Av.
Olmsted, B. P.....200 Oakdale St.
Olmsted, Mrs. B. P.....200 Oakdale St.
Ondracek, Julia.....831 Bolton Av.
Oviatt, Mr. S. R.....765 Genesee Av.
Oviatt, Mrs. S. R.....765 Genesee Av.
Oviatt, Miss Lottie M...766 Genesee Av.

Paul, Mrs. Helen.....47 Hilburn Av.
Paul, Miss Jane.....47 Hilburn Av.
Paul, Mrs. Clara Cannon..Norwalk, O.
Peck, Truman D.....789½ Doan St.
Pettengill, Horace.....767 Doan St.
Pettengill, Mrs. Louisa.....767 Doan St.
Pettengill, Moses Silas.....767 Doan St.
Petty, Mrs. Chas. H.....2203 Euclid Av.
Phare, William.....1483 Cedar Av.
Phare, Mrs. Ann.....1483 Cedar Av.
Phare, Miss Martha (l. v.)....1483 Cedar
Phare, Miss Minnie (l. v.)....1483 Cedar
Phare, Miss Edith (l. v.).41 Mayfield St.
Phare, Fred R. (l. v.).96 Wade Park Av.
Platt, Mrs. Louisa C.....1580 Cedar Av.
Post, W. D.....863 Doan St.
Post, Mrs. Rose.....863 Doan St.
Post, Mary R.....2203 Euclid Av.
Post, Charles A.....2203 Euclid Av.
Post, James R.....2211 Euclid Av.
Post, Mrs. May.....2211 Euclid Av.
Post, Bessie.....2211 Euclid Av.
Potwin, Prof. Lemuel S....322 Rosedale
Potwin, Mrs. Julia H..3.22 Rosedale Av.
Potwin, Bertha Julia..322 Rosedale Av.
Pope, L. L.....464 Bolton Av.
Pope, Mrs. L. L.....464 Bolton Av.
Preston, H. Alfred.....740 Logan Av.
Preston, Charles Francis.740 Logan Av.
Preston, James Ernest...740 Logan Av.
Prentiss, Mrs. Emily H..95 Streator Av.
Prentiss, Miss Jennie W.95 Streator Av.
Phillips, Mrs. G. P.....95 Streator Av.
Prindle, Fred J.....1231 Cedar Av.
Putnam, Dr. D. P.....1271 Cedar Av.
Putnam, Mrs. E. A.....1271 Cedar Av.
Prosser, Miss Mary C...782 Republic St.
Reade, Mr. Wm. A.....873 Oakdale St.
Reade, Mrs. Edith M....873 Oakdale St.
Reynolds, Robert Donald....Station B.
Reynolds, Effie E.....1905 Euclid Av.
Richardson, Geo. W.....791 Logan Av.
Richardson, Mrs. Eliza A.791 Logan Av.
Richardson, Geo. Wilfred....791 Logan
Richardson, John E.....791 Logan Av.
Ridgeway, Mr. Geo. C...1234 Cedar Av.
Ridgeway, Mrs. Marie E.1234 Cedar Av.
Ridgeway, Miss Lillian..1234 Cedar Av.
Rickey, Mrs. Mary.....116 Streator Av.
Ross, Catherine D.....26 DeForest St.
Roberts, Mrs. Sarah.....1522 Cedar Av.
Roberts, John H.....1522 Cedar Av.
Roberts, Miss Jennie.....1522 Cedar Av.
Rose, Geo. H.....64 Oakdale St.
Rose, Mrs. Geo. A.....64 Oakdale St.
Rose, Joel J.....64 Oakdale St.
Rose, Mrs. J. J.....64 Oakdale St.
Sambrook, Julia.....Fairmount P. O.
Sambrook, Mrs. Sarah.Fairmount P. O.
Sambrook, Sarah.....Fairmount P. O.
Sambrook, Ella M.....Fairmount P. O.
Sawyer, Dr. P. H.....54 Streator Av.
Sawyer, Mrs. G. A.....54 Streator Av.
Sawyer, Raymond F.....54 Streator Av.
Sawyer, Dr. John P..183 Kensington St.
Scheier, D. Louis.....933 Logan Av.
Scheier, Mrs. Elizabeth...933 Logan Av.
Scheier, Eleanor.....933 Logan Av.
Scheier, Arthur.....933 Logan Av.
Scotten, Miss Emma M..890 Bolton Av.
Shaefer, John.....23 Streator Av.
Shaefer, Miss Ella.....23 Streator Av.
Shaefer, Willie.....23 Streator Av.
Shaefer, John, jr.....23 Streator Av.
Shaefer, Charles.....23 Streator Av.
Sherwood, Mrs. W. E.....82 Cornell St.
Sherwood, Miss C. A.....82 Cornell St.
Shields, Mrs. Helen S...2542 Euclid Av.
Shepard, Dr. E. H.....793 Doan St.
Shepard, Mrs. Effie J.....793 Doan St.
Shepard, Dodie E..Commonwealth Av.
Shepard, Daisy.....Commonwealth Av.
Simpson, H. M.....38 Hough Place
Slaght, Mrs. Elizabeth...825 Logan Av.
Slaght, Eva May.....825 Logan Av.
Slaght, Frank Branch....825 Logan Av.
Snider, Martin.....1638 Euclid Av.
Snider, Mrs. Martin.....1638 Euclid Av.
Snider, Harry M.....1638 Euclid Av.
Snider, Warren G.....1638 Euclid Av.
Snider, Walter L.....1638 Euclid Av.
Snider, Clarence A..1012 E. Madison Av.
Snider, Mrs. C. A...1012 E. Madison Av.
Skeel, John C.....762 Republic St.
Skeel, Mrs. John C.....762 Republic St.
Skeel, Frank D.....762 Republic St.
Skeel, Hattie M.....762 Republic St.
Smith, P. B.....57 Streator Av.
Smith, Mrs. E. J.....57 Streator Av.
Smith, Helen May.....57 Streator Av.

Smith, Pardon Hudson..57 Streator Av.
Smith, Harley Gibbs....57 Streator Av.
Smith, Alton H.....193 Oakdale St.
Smith, Mrs. Alton H.....193 Oakdale St.
Smith, Harry Hawkins.36 Glen Park Pl.
Smith, Mrs. Bessie R..36 Glen Park Pl.
Smith, Alva J.....853 Doan St.
Smith, Mrs. H. L.....853 Doan St.
Smith, Amy E.....853 Doan St.
Smith, Miriam C.....853 Doan St.
Smith, Alvah Cornwall.....853 Doan St.
Smith, Geo. R.....416 Bolton Av.
Smith, Mrs. Francis E...416 Bolton Av.
Smith, Winifred C.....416 Bolton Av.
Smith, Albert M.....22 Morse Av.
Smith, Mrs. Albert M.....22 Morse Av.
Snow, Justin.....38 Hough Pl.
Snow, Mrs. Louisa.....38 Hough Pl.
Sommers, Mrs. Charles.210 Streator Av.
Spraggon, Miss H. E..17 Centennial Av.
Sprague, Mrs. Helen.....34 Bell Av.
Sprague, John W.....34 Bell Av.
Sprague, Lizzie Doan.....34 Bell Av.
Spencer, Mr. Olin.....
Spencer, Arthur .....
Stair, Mrs. Belle.....Fairmount St.
Stebbins, Mrs. Mary A...81 Bolton Av.
Stebbins, Miss Amy J.....81 Bolton Av.
Stebbins, Herbert C.....81 Bolton Av.
Stebbins, H. S.....818 Hough Av.
Stebbins, Mrs. M. W.....818 Hough Av.
Stewart, James.....875 Stark Av.
Stewart, Mr. G. A.....922 Doan St.
Stewart, Mrs. G. A.....922 Doan St.
Stilwell, Dr. Sam E.....61 Oakdale St.
Stilwell, Mrs. Addie.....61 Oakdale St.
Stone, A. H.....1695 Euclid Av.
Stone, Mrs. Sarah A....1695 Euclid Av.
Stone, S. E.....1193 E. Madison Av.
Stone, Mrs. Lizzie..1193 E. Madison Av.
Sweringen, J. T.....21 Arthur St.
Sweringen, Herbert C.....21 Arthur St.
Sweringen, Edith.....21 Arthur St.
Sweringen, Carrie.....21 Arthur St.
Swift, Mrs. Flora.....104 Streator Av.
Swift, Charles.....104 Streator Av.
Seelye, Mrs. Mary E...138 Ingleside Av.
Snearer, Chas. H.....904 Logan Av.
Snyder, Miss.....834 Doan St.
Talbot, Henry L.....775 Logan Av.
Talbot, Mrs. H. Morley...775 Logan Av.
Talbot, Mrs. Margaret B...75 Streator
Taylor, Mrs. Florence E.117 Adelbert St.
Taylor, Mrs. Mary Elizabeth.....
Thompson, H. O.....67 Cornell St.
Thompson, Mrs. H. O.....67 Cornell St.
Thompson, Geo. H.....67 Cornell St.
Taylor, Mrs. Georgina W...1824 Euclid
Thorp, Mrs. Lucy.....2464 Euclid Av.
Thwing, Rev. Chas. F..55 Bellflower St.
Thwing, Mrs. C. F. B..55 Bellflower St.
Thwing, Miss Mary....55 Bellflower St.
Thackwell, Sadie A.....920 Oakdale St.
Thompson, Miss Adella....350 Harkness
Thomas, Mrs. W. F.....Collamer
Thomas, Miss Grace Mae.....Collamer
Thomas, Mrs. Marietta..176 Oakdale St.
Thomas, Delbert Paul..176 Oakdale St.
Thomb, Hattie.....1896 Euclid Av.
Thomb, Annie.....1896 Euclid Av.
Tidd, Gertrude.....724 Genesee Av.
Torrey, Mrs. Maria E.766 Fairmount St.
Torrey, Miss J. M.....766 Fairmount St.
Tolle, Mrs. Marie L.....116 Streator Av.
Tolle, Miss Mary R.....116 Streator Av.
Tolle, Miss Fannie M...116 Streator Av.
Tingle, Mr. Harry.....871 Logan Av.
Tingle, Mrs. Margaret...871 Logan Av.
Trumper, F. W.....38 S. Genesee Av.
Trumper, Mrs. F. W..38 S. Genesee Av.
Trumper, R. Frank...38 S. Genesee Av.
Trumper, Miss Grace.38 S. Genesee Av.
Underwood, Mrs. Zillah M...53 Burt St.
Underwood, Daisy D.....53 Burt St.
Van Doorn, Dr. J. W.....30 Wilbur St.
Van Doorn, Mrs. J. W.....30 Wilbur St.
Van Pelt, Mrs. Margaret...72 Sayles St.
Ward, Mrs. William E..114 Oakdale St.
Ward, William E.....114 Oakdale St.
Ward, Edith M.....114 Oakdale St.
Watermemeyer, Mrs. Lucy..1309 Cedar
Watermeyer, Miss Ada E....1309 Cedar
Watermeyer, Miss Bertha...1309 Cedar
Watterson, J D.....74 Streator Av.
Watterson, Mrs. J. D....74 Streator Av.
Watterson, Mrs. H. D...74 Streator Av.
Wilburn, Miss Ada B..Box 81, Station B
Williams, George W.....464 Bolton Av.
Wilson, Thomas.....2198 Euclid Av.
Wilson, Mrs. Mary P....2198 Euclid Av.

Wilson, Anna Bell.....2198 Euclid Av.
Wilson, Mabel.....2198 Euclid Av.
Wilson, Mrs. William...713 E. Prospect
Wilson, Jennie.....713 E. Prospect St.
Wolver, Chas. S.....5 Monroe St.
Wolver, Mrs. Ella J.....5 Monroe St.
Wonders, Mrs. F.....176 Oakdale St.
Wood, Moses H.....2374 Euclid Av.
Wood, Marvin W.....2374 Euclid Av.
Wood, Mrs. Alice M.....2374 Euclid Av.
Wood, Mrs. Abbie M.....877 Logan Av.
Wood, Walter W.....45 Oakdale St.
Wetherbee, Mrs. Lilla.....Ansel Av.
Wetherbee, Herbert E.....Ansel Av.
Wheaton, Mrs. C. H.....30 Stearns St.
White, E. Warner.....480 Bolton Av.
White, Mrs. Mary C.....480 Bolton Av.
Whitman, Bryant F.....95 Cornell St.
Whitman, Mrs. Kate Ford.95 Cornell St.
Whitman, W. B.....1 Knox St.
Whitman, Mrs. S. F.....1 Knox St.
Whitman, Jennie Gertrude..1 Knox St.
Whittacre, Hattie DeLorn...1753 Euclid
Whittlesey, Grant.....127 Oakdale St.
Whittlesey, Mrs. Nellie M..127 Oakdale
Writner, Miss Fannie.....34 Wilbur St.
Wright, Florence E.....1781 Euclid Av.
Wright, Henry T.....1781 Euclid Av.
Wyatt, James E.....443 Bolton Av.
Wyatt, Mrs. James E.....443 Bolton Av.
Wyatt, Miss Anna C.....443 Bolton Av.
Wyatt, Robert E.....443 Bolton Av.
Wyatt, Mabel.....443 Bolton Av.
Wright, Mrs. Ella Hills..266 Marcy Av.

ABSENT LIST.

By resolution of the church the absent list includes the following:

All whose addresses are not known, and all who reside out of the city, or in distant parts of it.

Aiken, Mrs. E. A.....10 Portland St.
Aldrich, J. P.....Vroman, Neb.
Aldrich, Mrs. G. A. S.....Vroman, Neb.
Alton, Robert D.....
Anderson, L. W.....Mexico
Anderson, Mrs. Emma H.....Mexico
Baker, Susie E.....Boston, Mass
Baker, Hattie M...3 Beacon St., Boston
Bailey, William.....Detroit St.
Barager, Miss Lulu .....
Barnitz, Mrs. Jennie P.....
Beers, Mrs. Emily C.....
Bostwick, Mrs. Myra M....Denver, Col.
Boynton, Mrs. M. P...St. Ignace, Mich.
Bishop, Stella .....
Bowen, Thomas Frederick, South Wales
Bushnell, William.....
Burt, Lou .....Detroit, Mich
Cairnes, Miss Jennie .....Chicago, Ill.
Cozad, Miss Gertrude...Niigata, Japan
Crawford, Mrs. Frances M.Collamer, O.
Crawford, Milton B.....Collamer, O.
Gey, Miss Italy.....
Donaldson, F. A...Andover Theo. Sem.
Dunn, Annie E.....
Elliott, Mrs. Christiana.....Booker St.
Ferris, Mrs. Mary J.....
Ford, Walter H.....Kansas
Franck, Henry E., M. D.....Canton, O.
Gibson, Mary .....
Goodenow, Mrs. Lucy B.....
Goodwin, Homer A.....
Griggsby, William .....
Griggsby, Jane .....
Griggsby, Edward .....
Greenstead, Eameslene .....
Hamilton, Jennie .....
Hanna, C. B.....
Harper, Mrs. Cora A.....Chicago, Ill.
Haselton, J. F.....
Holden, Sarah E.....
Hogen, Sophia M.....
Holt, Newton .....
Hurlbut, Miss H. M...Industrial Home
Hume, Elizabeth .....
Huntington, J. T.....Lorain, O.
Huntington, Mrs. Lizzie A...Lorain, O.
Ingersol, Edwin P.....Detroit, Mich.
Ingersol, Mrs. Elizabeth..Detroit, Mich.
Jaques, Wm. E.....Sanford, Fla.
Jaques, Mrs. Mary K.....Sanford, Fla.
Kendrick, Miss Sarah....Painesville, O.
King, Burnham W.....New York City
King, Mrs. Annie L.....New York City
King, Clifford J.....New York City
King, Mrs. C. J.....New York City
Lacy, Mrs. E. (Phare).....Akron, Ind.
Leslie, E. D.....

Lenz, Mr. Ferdinand .....Buffalo, N. Y.
Lyman, A. H.....Ashville, N. C.
Lyman, Chas. E.....Ashville, N. C.
Mears, Mrs. W. T.....Chicago, Ill.
Mears, T. Y. J., jr.....787½ Doan St.
Mears, Mrs. Sadie J.....787½ Doan St.
Metcalf, Joel H.....
...Boston, Pastor Unitarian Church
Miller, Halsey D.....Cleveland, O.
Miller, Mrs. Ebbie S. K....Cleveland, O.
Miller, Miss Mary J.Mt. Hermon, Mass.
Miller, Mr. Andrew .....
Miller, Mrs. Jane .....
Miller, Mrs. Henry L.....Chicago
Mills, Mr. Marvin.....Dodge Allotment
Mills, Mrs. Emma.....Dodge Allotment
Mills, James .....Dodge Allotment
Mills, Miss Grace.....Dodge Allotment
Millard, Mrs. Lucretia..Norwalk, Conn.
Morse, Sarah (Bixley).....
Moran, John .....
Mosher, Carrie L.....Duluth, Minn.
Newell, Mrs. Jennie.....Kobe, Japan
O'Connor, Charles M.....
Paul, Mrs. Clara Cannon...Norwalk, O.
Plaisted, Mrs. Louisa .....
Post, Mrs. A. T.....
Preston, Mrs. Georgia E..Niagara Falls
Rand, Emma B.....Prospect St.
Remalia, Mary .....Prospect St.
Reineck, Miss Emma .....
Richardson, Samuel H.....
Richmond, Geo. W....Philadelphia, Pa.
Richmond, Wm. Edward..Philadelphia
Richmond, Margaret E....Philadelphia
Richmond, Laura Agnes..Philadelphia
Robinson, Miss H. M.....
Roberts, C. O.....
Russell, Geo. B.....Box 27, Erie, Pa.
Salisbury, Mr. F.....Keene, N. H.
Salisbury, Mrs. Delia.....Keene, N. H.
Sackett, Homer B.....
Sackett, May E.....
Seavey, Orin W.....
Seavey, Mrs. Ella .....
Sechrist, Mrs. Lunette G.....
Sherwin, Sarah .....
Spaulding, Arthur L.....
Strong, Agnes I. (Semple)....Cedar Av.
Starr, Mata Lynes .....
Stone, James .....
Swegan, Miss Alvaretta .....
Talbot, Mrs. Ella R.....
Warfalk, Mrs. Hettie .....
Watkins, Maggie Ann .....
Weddell, Bell C.....
Wellman, S. T. .....Upland, Pa.
Wellman, Mrs. S. T. .....Upland, Pa.
Wellman, Bessie .....Upland, Pa.
Whitworth, Sarah Martha .....
Whitworth, William .....
Whitworth, Mary .....
Williams, Alice C.....
Woodward, Miss M. L...Norwich, Conn.

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PLYMOUTH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

PLYMOUTH church originated in the Old Stone (Presbyterian) church in 1850. At that time, Rev. E. H. Nevin was conducting revival meetings in the Old Stone church. He was a reformer and a pronounced Abolitionist. Benajah Barker, who had been a strong anti-

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slavery man, was converted under Mr. Nevin's preaching, and enlisted several members of the church with convictions like his own to go out and found a new church, with Mr. Nevin as their pastor. Those were days when Cleveland was a pro-slavery town—when the pastor of one

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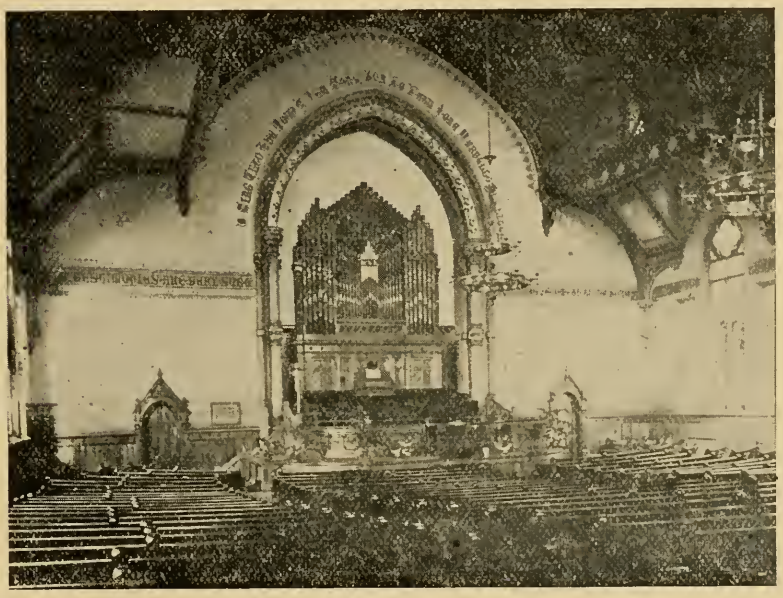
of the leading churches hid behind a church column while a fugitive slave was arrested in the church and carried away again into bondage. The new church was organized with thirty members. It was called the Free Presbyterian church, and later, the Third Presbyterian church. It was independent in Constitution, but its mode of government was Presbyterian, until August 17, 1852, when it changed its name and became Plymouth Congregational Church. It then numbered sixty-nine members. Among the church principles as early formulated was this: "This church regards slave-holding as a sin against God and a crime against man; as intrinsically unrighteous, utterly opposed to the law of God



PLYMOUTH CHURCH INTERIOR.

and the teachings and spirit of the Gospel. Therefore this church will not fellowship slave-holders, the abettors of slavery or slave-holding churches."

The first church building was the Round church on Wood street, which had been vacated by the "Millerites." The church removed from this building to a new church, then the finest in the city, erected by a few of the members, on the corner of Euclid avenue and Erie street, where the Hickox Block now stands—and which was afterwards sold to the First Baptist Society for much less than its cost. An old and unfinished church standing on the corner of Prospect street and Oak Place was fitted up, where the church worshipped for nearly twenty years, until the

commodious lot corner of Prospect and Perry streets was purchased, and later, one of the finest and most substantial church buildings in the city was erected, and dedicated October 8, 1882. The church proper seats one thousand, and has a large chapel connected, with an audience room, Sunday-school room, church parlors, kitchen, pastor's study, etc.

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Rev. George R. Leavitt, D. D., entered upon the pastorate in April, 1885, and resigned in February, 1894, on account of ill health. He will always be remembered with affectionate regard. The present pastor, Rev. Livingston L. Taylor, commenced his pastorate in September, 1894.

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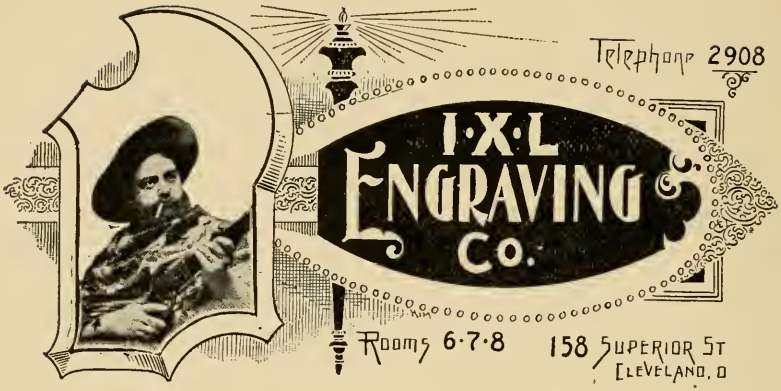

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White, Miss Ann A.....96 Edgewood Pl
White, Mrs. J. S.....The Lennox
White, Mrs. Mary.....112 Hill St
Wilford, Miss Alice M....575 Prospect St
Waters, Miss Florence P.....
.....136 Huntington St
Williams, Frank.....228 Seneca St
Wilson, Mrs. Anna L....174 Osborne St
Woodruff, Mrs. Annie Fisk.....
.....28 Harmon St
Woodruff, Clara.....28 Harmon St
Woodruff, Abby A.....28 Harmon St
Wyckoff, Mrs. Lucinda..213 Brownell St
Zaun, Miss Nettie.....63 Hill St
Zeleny, Bohumila A..27 Wallingford Ct
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THE OLIVET CHAPEL MISSION WORK.

One of the most important and successful Congregational missions was that of Olivet chapel, corner of Hill and Commercial streets. It was the outgrowth of a mission Sunday-school organized by Plymouth Church in 1869. When Rev. Charles Terry Collins became the pastor of Plymouth Church, coming directly from a great mission work in New York city, he entered at once into the Plymouth Church mission work and the building of a new and commodious chapel, which was named "Olivet," because of Mr. Collins' work and love for the New York "Olivet Mission Chapel," where he had spent the first years of his ministry. The chapel with its furnishings cost about $4,000. Dr. Schauffler, missionary of the American Board in Bohemia, who was now in this country, where he would be detained at least a year by the health of his wife, was invited to come to Cleveland by Plymouth Church and take charge of Olivet chapel. The fact that Dr. Schauffler could speak English, German, Bohemian and Italian languages, he could reach the various nationalities in that part of the city. He soon found that there were 20,000 Bohemians located in other parts of the city, and no Protestant minister who could preach to them in their native tongue. He devoted his whole time to the Bohemian work, from which has grown out the great national work among the foreign population of the West. Rev. J. E. Carroll, father of Rev. C. W. Carroll, succeeded Dr. Schauffler as pastor of Olivet chapel, with his wife as missionary. April 1884 Rev. John Doane was called to the pastorate. He was ordained and installed at Olivet chapel, September 11, 1884, and a church, branch of Plymouth church, organized and remained until the mission was given up and Mr. Doane became associate pastor with Dr. Leavitt at Plymouth Church. Olivet then had ninety-two members. The Sunday-school enrollment was between 400 and 500, with an average attendance of between 250 and 300. The Cleveland Bohemian Mission Board, the Cleveland Evangelization Society, with its manifold work, the Men's Home, the Gospel Wagon, etc., are the outgrowth of Olivet chapel and its Plymouth Church workers.

THE IRVING STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

THE religious community from whose old records this short historical sketch is compiled was originally a church of the Bible Christian denomination, under an affiliated conference with Canada.

This sect originated October 29, 1815, in England, in connection with the labors of William O'Bryan, a Methodist local preacher, its distinctive feature being its liberal policy, the laity having equal rights with ministers in all Church courts.

IRVING STREET CHURCH.

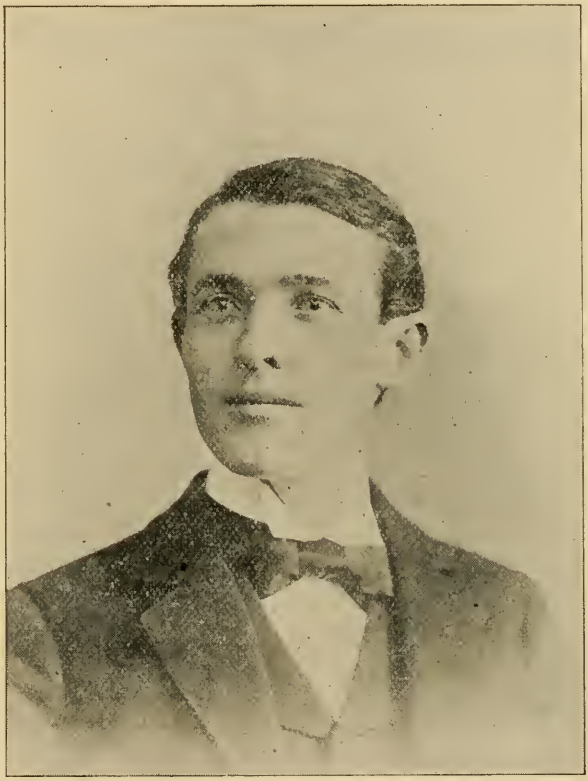
In 1831, at the urgent request of friends who had emigrated to America, two missionaries were sent out, John Hicks Eynon to Canada west, Francis Wetherall to Prince Edward Island, and in 1846 George Kippin to Ohio.

After four years, John Chapple succeeded the first missionary to Ohio, who still lives at Chagrin Falls, and organized the Orange Street Society in October, 1852. The membership was ten ("most of whom have fallen asleep") who met at first in the house of Josiah Venning, who is now

senior deacon of the church, and afterwards with Richard Wooldridge, being a more commodious residence.

The first church was a frame structure erected on the present site during the pastorate of Joseph Hoidge, in which worship was conducted for five years. This was then abandoned for the larger and more commodious building of to-day, which was dedicated in 1859.

In 1855 this Ohio work was transferred to the newly organized Mis-



I. A. DAVIDSON.

sionary Society of Canada, with which it had stood identified, and from whence it had drawn ministerial supply. The pastorate, limited by rule to four years, was efficiently and worthily filled by W. R. Roach from 1860 for but two years, in which the work of financial consolidation was successfully completed.

In 1862 William Hooper began a work which ended in a year, and was followed by M. Pelt and G. Hycraft.

The advent of John Pinch in 1865 to this field was amid almost hopelessness, for the weakened church was burdened by a debt of $3,000, which, however, he raised in the short space of one year.

In 1866 this church asked for and obtained its independence from the large circuit of which it had formed a part, and began its career with fifty members. Its pastors were: Sencebaugh, Beer, Hodnett, Courtice, Jolliffe and Nott.

During the pastorate of the last the most substantial progress was made, and it closed with the regret of all when he felt called to accept the editorial chair of the *Observer*, the denominational organ.

For three years S. J. Allen held office and was succeeded by Francis M. Whitlock.

During the year 1884 the question of "union" agitated this church as well as the whole Canadian conference, upon which discussion the society "*Resolved*, That we do not unite with the 'Methodist Church' in the Dominion of Canada."

Further steps were taken to find suitable church relation in this country, resulting in the unanimous choice of Congregationalism, which the society determined upon, May 11, 1884.

"Resolution I., That we unite with the Congregational Church," which, with other appended clauses, was signed by all the members of the church in good and regular standing.

This request was considered at district meeting and conference, the following resolution being passed:

RESOLUTION OF CANADIAN CONFERENCE.

That we comply with the request of the Cleveland district, and permit them to withdraw from this conference and also to appoint ministers there on each station; but should either of the ministers desire to take his letters of standing, the president be hereby authorized to give such letters, or if any of the ministers desire to remain in connection with the Methodist Church, we recommend that they be connected with the London conference, but resident in the United States.

E. Roberts, President.

Immediately the church determined on consummating the union with the Congregational Church, for which letters missive were issued.

Pursuant to letters missive an ecclesiastical council convened at the Irving Street Bible Christian Church, Cleveland, Ohio, on the tenth day of September, 1884.

Rev. H. M. Tenney called the meeting to order and read the letter missive. Rev. H. M. Ladd was chosen moderator and Rev. S. B. Shipman scribe, the object of the council being to consider the proposal of the Irving Street Bible Christian to become a Congregational Church.

The committee presented the following, which was unanimously adopted: *Resolved*, That the Ecclesiastical Council representing the Congregational Churches of Cleveland and vicinity does most heartily

approve the steps taken by the church till now known as Ebenezer Bible Christian (but now to bear the name Irving Street Congregational Church), with a view to joining the Congregational body; that we are much pleased with the statements made to the council by church and Pastor Rev. F. M. Whitlock, and that we warmly welcome them to the fellowship of our body, confidently looking for increasing prosperity and strength in the promising field of labor in which God has placed them.

R. A. WASHBURN,
JAMES BRAND,
H. A. SCHAUFFLER.

Rev. F. M. Whitlock severed his connection with the church in April, 1887. The church was embarrassed financially and Rev. W. M. Stanford supplied the church till April, 1888.

Rev. R. Quaife then assumed the duty and responsibility of pastor, and by his energetic labors the church building was thoroughly restored at an outlay of over $2,000. In March, 1891, Rev. R. Quaife severed his connection with the church, and in May, 1891, Rev. George Hill was called to be the pastor and teacher. Mr. Hill labored with the church till October, 1894, when he resigned the pastorate.

Since Rev. G. Hills' pastorate the pulpit has been supplied by different ministers and students from Oberlin College, till April, 1895, when the church formally called Mr. J. A. Davidson, a student at Oberlin College, to be our pastor and teacher. Mr. Davidson assumed these duties July 1, 1895. On November 21, 1895, a council of Congregational churches and ministers met at Irving Street Congregational Church and Mr. J. A. Davidson was duly examined and ordained. He has entered into the work with enthusiasm. Every department of the church is prosperous, especially the Young Men's Club.

The church is out of debt and is thankful for the financial aid received from the Ohio Home Missionary Society in the past. They hope to be self-supporting in the future.

DIRECTORY OF IRVING STREET CHURCH.

PASTOR—Rev. J. A. Davidson, 19 North place.

DEACONS—Josiah Venning, 1345 Wilson avenue; James Reece, 20 Cheshire street; John Collacott, 18½ Henry street; John W. Keetch, 45 Woodland avenue.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

Althoff, Mrs. Elizabeth.....
Anderson, John, sr.....391 Scovill Av
Anderson, John, jr.....391 Scovill Av
Anderson, Mrs. Mary.....391 Scovill Av
Anderson,Mrs. Elizabeth..391 Scovill Av
Andrews, Mrs. Lydia....37 Pittsburg St
Andrews, Miss Zola.....37 Pittsburg St
Armor, Mrs. Sarah.....161 Central Av
Armor, Alonzo.....161 Central Av
Armor, Wellington.....161 Central Av
Bartlett, Richard.....476 Sterling Av
Black, Miss Mamie.....18½ Henry St
Callard, Miss Carrie.....19 North Pl
Callow, G. E.....Jackson St
Carr, Miss Nettie.....839 Central Av
Cobbledick, William J..278 Brownell St
Cobbledick, Mrs. Nina..278 Brownell St
Cobbledick, Miss Jennie..20 Cheshire St
Collacott, John.....18½ Henry St
Collacott, Mrs. Elizabeth..18½ Henry St
Collacott, Miss Libby....18½ Henry St
Collacott, Arthur.....18½ Henry St
Cottrell, Mrs. Ann.....80 Maple St
Couch, William.....5 Goldsmith Ct
Davidson, Rev. J. A.....
Dettlisch, Mrs. Annie..528 Woodland Av
Farrell, Miss Nellie.....1 Carpenter St
Foster, William J.....208 Superior St
Foster, Mrs. Kate.....208 Superior St
Foster, Charles.....208 Superior St
Furze, Mrs. Laura.....1345 Willson Av
Furze, William.....1345 Willson Av
Gillard, William.....57 Tracy St
Glass, John W.....1024 Central Av
Hotchkiss, Mrs. Ruth.....Linden St
Johns, Mrs. Susan S.....18 Henry St
Keetch, John W.....415 Woodland Av
Keetch, Mrs. Elizabeth.....
.....415 Woodland Av
Keetch, William I.....72 Harriet Av
Keetch, Mrs. Bella.....72 Harriet Av
King, Charles S.....460 Scovill Av
King, Mrs. Alice.....460 Scovill Av
Krauser, Mrs. Lizzie.....Scovill Av
Krauser, Emma.....Scovill Av
Laud, James M.....9 Belmont
Laud, Mrs. Maggie.....9 Belmont
Laud, Miss Edith M.....9 Belmont
Laughlin, Miss Annie.....Woodman
Lueders, Matthias.....50 Pittsburg St
Lueders, Mrs. Mary.....50 Pittsburg St
Metcalf, James.....72 Florence St
Metcalf, Mrs. James.....72 Florence St
Nigh, Mrs. Mary.....408 Orange St
Pape, Thomas.....27 Ocean St
Pape, Mrs. Elizabeth.....27 Ocean St
Peacock, Mrs. Hanna M...50 Bolivar St
Pickard, Jonathan..... Parma
Pickard, Mrs. Barbara.....Parma
Pickard, Miss Lenora.....Parma
Pomeroy, Miss Maud.....273 Forest St
Pugsley, John.....19 North Place
Pugsley, Mrs. John.....19 North Place
Reece, James.....20 Cheshire St
Reece, Mrs. Eva M.....20 Cheshire St
Reece, Ernest.....20 Cheshire St
Rudolph, Mrs.....Perry St
Schuester, Mrs. Emma.....80 Maple St
Schuester, Miss Ada.....80 Maple St
Smith, Mrs. Elizabeth.....Jackson St
Smith, Miss Mamie.....Jackson St
Smith, Mrs. Mary J.....Mayflower St
Spence, William.....271 Orange St
Studd, Francis J.....Parma
Studd, Mrs. Fannie..... Parma
Studd, Mrs. Sarah A.....Parma
Taylor, Samuel.....Newburg
Taylor, Mrs. Ann.....Newburg
Theobald, Mrs. Ida.....Scovill Av
Tucker, John L.....415 Woodland Av
Venning, Josiah.....1345 Willson Av
Venning, Mrs. Jane.....1345 Willson Av
Verity, Joseph .....2075 Detroit St
Woodman, George F.....55 Grand Av
Woodman, Mrs. Jennie.....55 Grand Av
Woodworth, Mrs. Ida.....99 Greenwood

IRVING STREET CHURCH.

Organization, March 1, 1896.

Trustees—Josiah Venning, J. W. Keetch, James Reece, W. I. Keetch, W. J. Cobbledick, James Land, Geo. F. Woodman.

Clerk—Geo. F. Woodman, Grand avenue.

Treasurer—Mrs. E. M. Reece, 20 Cheshire street.

Mutual Aid Society—President, Wm. Foster; Secretary, Jno. Pugsley; Treasurer, Mrs. J. W. Keetch.

Sabbath-school—Superintendent, John Pugsley; Assistant, Jas. Reece; Secretary, E. L. Raquet; Treasurer, Mamie Black; Chorister, W. I. Keetch.

Christian Endeavor Society—President. J. A. Davidson; vice-President, Jennie Cobbledick; Secretary, Libby Callacott; Treasurer, Carrie Callard.

Young Men's Club—President, John Pugsley; vice-President, W. J. Cobbledick; Secretary, Clarence Carter; Treasurer, Arthur Callacott.

Young Ladies' Circle—President, Mrs. William Furze; vice-President, Carrie Callard; Secretary, Zula Andrews; Treasurer, Carrie Carter.

ADDITIONAL MEMBERS.

Sangster, Albert B.....16 Cedar Av
Jaite, Emil.....Sterling Av
Jaite, Mrs. Emil.....Sterling Av
Jaite, Clara M.....Sterling Av
Rudolph, Gustav..... .....Sterling Av
Rudolph, George.....Sterling Av
Reece, Eva.....20 Cheshire St
Rhymer, Frank.....22 Charles St
Harding, Mrs. Fannie.....
.....cor. Woodland and Greenwood
Smith, Mabel.....Maple St
Smith, Leander.....Jackson St
Carter, Clarence.....Laurel St
Carter, Carrie.....Laurel St
Andrews, Ellen.....Pittsburg St
Andrews, Willie.....Pittsburg St
Callacott, Norman.....18½ Henry St
Land, Roy.....Belmont St
Johns, Leona. .....18½ Henry St
Elms, Jennie.....Floyd St
Woodworth, Eva.....73 Marion St
Woodworth, Addie.....73 Marion St
Rhymer, Agnes..... .....22 Laurel St
Pike, Jessie.....Floyd St
Dettlisch, Nellie.....538 Woodland Av
Lewis, Ella.....Belmont St

ADDITIONS TO THE FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH TO MARCH 1, 1896.

Babcock, Wm. A.....49 W. Trenton St
Babcock, Mrs. W. A...49 W. Trenton St.
Deamude, J. C.....702 Bridge St
Edwards, E. H.....28 Jay St
Edwards, Mary L.....28 Jay St
Fetterman, Roney.....292 Clinton St
Fetterman, Mrs. R.....292 Clinton St
Hall, Joseph A.....104 W. Clinton
Houghton, Ella M.....78 Smithfield St
Hurst, Samuel.....
Hurst, Samuel S.....
Hynd, Jessie S.....259 Waverly St
Patterson, Patrick.....25 Putt Ct
Patterson, Margaret.....25 Putt Ct
Slonsky, Henry.....
Simpson, David.....33 Higgins St
Smiley, Jas. B.....81 Clinton St
Smiley, Susan T.....81 Clinton St
Walther, J. S.....922 Lorain St
Waterbury, George.....14 Dexter Pl
Waterbury, Mrs. Susie G.....14 Dexter Pl

PILGRIM CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

PILGRIM CHURCH,

CORNER JENNINGS AND STARKWEATHER AVENUES.

PASTORS—Rev. Charles S. Mills, 463 Jennings avenue. Installed September 24, 1891.

Rev. Irving W. Metcalf, associate pastor, 636 Clark avenue. Began work July 1, 1894.

PASTORS' ASSISTANT—Miss Kate MacInnes.

OFFICE HOURS AT THE CHURCH—2:00 to 3:00 P. M. daily, except Monday and Saturday; Mr. Mills, Tuesday and Thursday; Mr. Metcalf, Wednesday and Friday; Miss MacInnes, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

Church Telephone, 2984.

The church is open daily from 9:30 A. M. to 9:30 P. M.

HISTORICAL STATEMENT.

THE Church was organized, by Council, November 13, 1859, in the brick school-house on the site of the present Tremont school building, where meetings were held for about two years. For four years thereafter the meetings were held in the Institute building, a part of which is still standing on University street, near College street.

The Church voted to unite with Cleveland Congregational Conference, March 30, 1862.

A church building, corner of Jennings avenue and Howard street, was begun in 1865, and dedicated in 1870, at a cost of $16,000. In 1877, the building was enlarged by the addition of transepts and further remodeled to its present form, the cost of the changes being more than $20,000. The new building dedicated November 23, 1894, cost, including the site, about $150,000. It has a complete equipment for institutional work.

FORMER PASTORS—Rev. William H. Brewster, 1859–1868; died at Wheaton, Ill., March 7, 1894. Rev. Thomas K. Noble, D. D., 1869–1872; now pastor First Congregational Church, Norwalk, Conn. Rev. William H. Warren, D. D., 1873–1875; now superintendent Congregational Home Missions, Michigan. Rev. Newell M. Calhoun, 1876–1884; recently pastor Congregational Church, Canandaigua, N. Y. Rev. Julian M. Sturtevant, D. D., 1885–1890; now pastor Congregational Church, Aurora, Ill.

At its organization the Church had 34 members. The growth of the

IRVING W. METCALF, ASSOCIATE PASTOR.

CHARLES S. MILLS, PASTOR.

Church in membership, as shown in five year periods, has been as follows: 1864, 48; 1869, 126; 1874, 211; 1879, 238; 1884, 277. From 1889 the development of the Church is shown in the following table:

	Additions.			Removals.				Membership.	Families.	Sunday School.	Benevolence.	Home Expenses.	Y.P.S.C.E.
	P.	L.	Tot.	D.	L.	Dc	Tot.						
1889	12	13	25	1	14	7	22	309	220	678	$2,706	$6,000	49
1890	17	6	23	6	16	0	22	310	220	670	708	6,500	60
1891	19	20	39	0	14	1	15	334	300	962	7,976	7,805	124
1892	45	43	88	3	14	1	18	404	353	1038	8,301	12,439	133
1893	61	49	110	3	28	4	35	479	419	1121	5,693	41,666	137
1894	52	29	81	2	19	2	23	537	473	1252	5,117	29,153	213
1895	74	49	123	4	15	5	24	636	535	1214	4,779	42,223	242

OFFICERS OF THE CHURCH—*Deacons*—John G. Jennings, Henry C. Boffenmyer, Charles G. Sutliff, Clark N. Thorp, Dr. Charles Buffett, Alexander C. Caskey, Dr. A. G. Hart, Alvah D. Hudson, Charles F. Olney, Martin House. *Clerk*—Charles L. Fish. *Treasurer*—Henry C. Holt.

OFFICERS OF THE SOCIETY.—*President*—John G. Jennings, Jr. *Treasurer*—George B. Bushnell. *Clerk*—Edward G. Caskey. *Trustees*—S. W. Sessions, John G. Jennings, Charles F. Olney, Isaac P. Lamson, John J. Crooks. *Treasurer of Building Fund*—George W. Kinney.

ORGANIZATIONS.

SUNDAY-SCHOOL—Superintendent, Irving W. Metcalf; assistant superintendents, C. L. Fish, F. W. Throssell; secretary, James Boggs; superintendent of Junior Department, Miss Kate MacInnes.

SACRED MUSIC SOCIETY—President, Charles F. Olney; secretary and treasurer, Francis E. Wright; conductor, Alfred Arthur.

WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION—President, Mrs. George W. Kinney; secretary, Mrs. H S. Allen.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR—President, Miss Eva E. Sheppard; corresponding secretary, Miss Josephine M. Hartzell.

INTERMEDIATE SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR—President, Alfred N. Kellogg; secretary, Amy C. Throssell.

JUNIOR SOCIETY CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR—Superintendent, Miss Jessie M. Knowlton.

TEMPLE CIRCLE KING'S DAUGHTERS—President, Mrs. A. R. Treadway; corresponding secretary, Miss Bertha Sacknus.

GATE KEEPER'S CIRCLE KING'S DAUGHTERS—President, Miss Agnes A. Gardner; secretary, Miss Emilie A. Pfahl.

BROTHERHOOD OF ANDREW AND PHILIP—President, Charles S. Mills; corresponding secretary, Theodore P. Lyman.

LOYAL CIRCLE KING'S SONS—Leader, Charles S. Mills; secretary, Samuel T. Stewart.

MISS KATE MAC INNES, PASTORS' ASSISTANT.

PILGRIM CHURCH INSTITUTE.

Organized November 9, 1894.

OFFICERS—President, Charles F. Olney; vice-president, Dr. W. J. Sheppard; secretary, Miss Josephine M. Hartzell; treasurer, Irving W. Metcalf; auditor, Henry C. Holt; trustees, Charles S. Mills and Irving W. Metcalf, pastors, *ex-officio;* fifteen elected by the Church—J. J. Crooks, John G. Jennings, Jr., Charles L. Fish, Theo. P. Lyman, A. M. Gibbons, Michael Riser, F. W. Throssell, R. S. Gardner, Mrs. Charles Buffett, Mrs. Charles F. Olney, Miss Harriet S. Kinney, Miss Jeannette Hart, Miss Josephine M. Hartzell, Miss Eva E. Sheppard; nine elected by the Society—Charles F. Olney, Isaac P. Lamson, J. M. Curtiss, A. D. Hudson, A. C. Caskey, W. J. Sheppard, Mrs. George W. Kinney, Mrs. H. C. Holt, Miss Ruth Curtiss; Executive Committee, A. C. Caskey, J. M. Curtiss, T. P. Lyman. Irving W. Metcalf, Mrs. G. W. Kinney, Mrs. Henry C. Holt, Miss Josephine M. Hartzell.

The Institute is organized as a department of Pilgrim Church.

Membership is open to any one and every one without regard to church connection or religious belief

Under its direction are provided special facilities for physical, social and intellectual culture. Upon the first floor of the building, whose doors are open daily from 9:30 A. M. to 9:30 P. M., are a thoroughly equipped gymnasium, reading room, library, recreation rooms and social parlors. Evening educational classes, lectures and concerts are prominent features of the work of the Institute.

REV. W. E. C. WRIGHT, D.D., LATE DISTRICT SEC. OF AMER. MISS. ASS'N.

The Institute is under the direction of a board of trustees, composed of the pastors of Pilgrim Church, *ex-officio*, and 24 members elected by the church and society.

The first annual meeting was held October 2, 1895, and the reports then made showed that during its first year the Institute had maintained Fine Arts, History and Travel Clubs, a Literary Society, Boys' Brigade, Sewing School, with Kitchen Garden and Kindergarten Classes, a Gymnasium with classes for men, boys, women and girls, and classes in Bookkeeping, Business Arithmetic, Penmanship, Piano and Vocal Music. A largely attended Microscopical Exhibition was given. The Institute maintains a well-supplied Reading Room, which had an attendance during 1895 of 7,913, an average of 25 daily. Recreation Rooms were open during six months of the year, with a total attendance of 2,354, an average of 16 daily. Its Library contains 973 volumes. It was opened in April, 1895, and up to the close of 1895, 5,960 books had been issued, a daily average of 25.

The second year of the Institute opened October 2, 1895. The Fine Arts Club, Piano Classes, Sewing School and Kitchen Garden, Recreation Rooms, Library and Reading Rooms continue as during the preceding year, and in addition there are a class in Bible Study, under the leadership of Professor Henry C. King of Oberlin, classes in French and German, and a Kindergarten with an enrollment of 64 children the first term, and in charge of an experienced director and four assistant teachers. A popular Entertainment Course was successfully inaugurated, course tickets for four high-class entertainments being sold to the general public at the low price of fifty cents, and to members of the Institute for twenty-five cents.

The total number of members, December 31, 1894, was 352. In 1895, 179 new members were received, making a total of 531 persons connected with the Institute during 1895.

INSTRUCTORS AND LEADERS.

Men's Gymnasium Director—W. W. Mortimer; Examining Physicians, Dr. A. B. Schneider, Dr. A. G. Hart, Dr. W. J. Sheppard.

Women's Gymnasium Director—Miss Emily Dillman Smith; Examining Physician, Dr. Helen K. Champlin.

Fine Arts Club—Charles F. Olney.

Piano—Mrs. A. V. Tiedemann.

German—Professor Jean Hepp, of the Berlitz School of Languages.

French—Miss Esther L. Pelton.

Bible Study—Professor Henry C. King, Oberlin.

Kindergarten—Director, Miss Flora L. Mowbray; First Assistant, Miss Emma H. Sharp, with three other assistants from the Training School of the Day Nursery and Free Kindergarten Association.

Librarian—Miss Bessie H. Shepard.

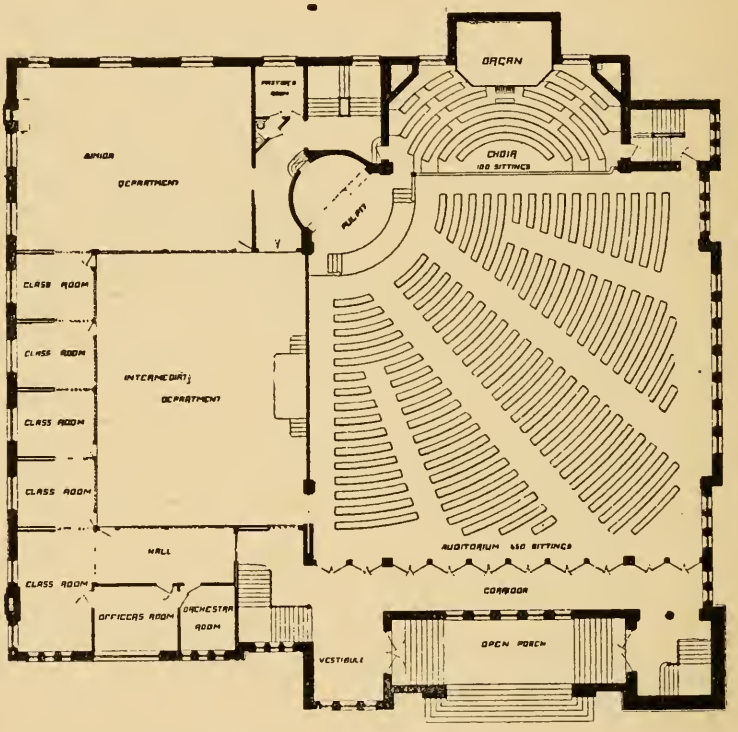
Attendant in Recreation Rooms—Miss Anna A. Weigel.

Sewing School—Committee, Mrs. Charles Buffett. Mrs. C. F. Olney, Miss Kate MacInnes; Directress, Miss Kate MacInnes.

Kitchen Garden Classes—Commiteee, Mrs. H. C. Holt, Mrs. J. M. Curtiss.

Boys' Brigade—Committee, Charles S. Mills, Frank E. Whitehouse, A. D. Hudson, John G. Glueck, Theodore P. Lyman, Irving W. Metcalf. Drill Master—Walter S. Bauder, of Fifth Regiment, O. N. G.

Kindergarten—Committee, Mrs. C. F. Olney, Mrs. Charles Buffett, Mrs. G. W. Kinney, Miss Josephine M. Hartzell, Miss Kate MacInnes, Irving W. Metcalf.



PLAN OF MAIN FLOOR.

THE BUILDING.

The edifice, while thoroughly dignified and churchly in appearance, is unique in its plan of construction. It has been called "an epoch-making church building" and "the most finely equipped church in America." Its general plan is given herewith.

The extreme length of the building, on Jennings avenue, is 132 feet, and its depth, on Starkweather avenue, is 120 feet, with a projection of eight feet additional for the organ.

The building covers 15,520 square feet. It contains 16 rooms on the

ground floor, 12 rooms on the main floor, 15 rooms on the gallery floor, a total of 43 separate apartments, besides ample halls, vestibules, etc. Its cubic contents are 720,000 cubic feet. The auditorium will seat comfortably—on the main floor, 700 people; in the chorus addition, 100; in the gallery, 300; in the supplementary gallery, over the corridor, 150; a total of 1,250. The Sunday-school rooms are separated from the church auditorium only by a sliding partition, by means of which the two apartments may be thrown together for special services. This gives capacity for the combined auditorium, of 2,400. By using class rooms and corridors, 3,000 people can be accommodated.

PLAN OF GROUND FLOOR.

The lower floor of the entire structure is given to the social and institutional work. It contains a reading room and library, 30x30 feet; men's dressing room with lockers, shower baths and toilet rooms, a finely equipped gymnasium, 58x26½ feet; recreation rooms, dining and social room, 49½x52 feet; Boys' Brigade armory, 30x33 feet; kitchen, 22½x22 feet, with pantry and serving room; ladies' parlor; women's dressing room; beside engine and boiler rooms. The ceiling of the ground floor rooms is eleven feet high, the entire floor being only two feet below the level of the ground.

The building is equipped with a complete electric lighting plant and is heated by steam and hot air.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

Adams, Lulu Estella....14 Merchant Av
Ahrens, Nellie.....31 Kenilworth St
Alexander, Charles Carroll.....
.....65 Jennings Av
Alexander, Emily Gertrude.....
.....65 Jennings Av
Alfred, Anna E.....
.....Sanitarium, Battle Creek, Mich.
Alfred, Daniel E.....120 Holmden Av
Alfred, Elizabeth J.....120 Holmden Av
Alfred, Joseph Herbert..120 Holmden Av
Alger, Henry Leslie.....138½ Rowley St
Alger, Louise.....138½ Rowley St
Alger, Rena Bell.....56 Aiken Av
Allen, Horace S.....90 Kenilworth St
Allen, Sarah E.....90 Kenilworth St
Allen, Marguerite Sheldon.....
.....90 Kenilworth St
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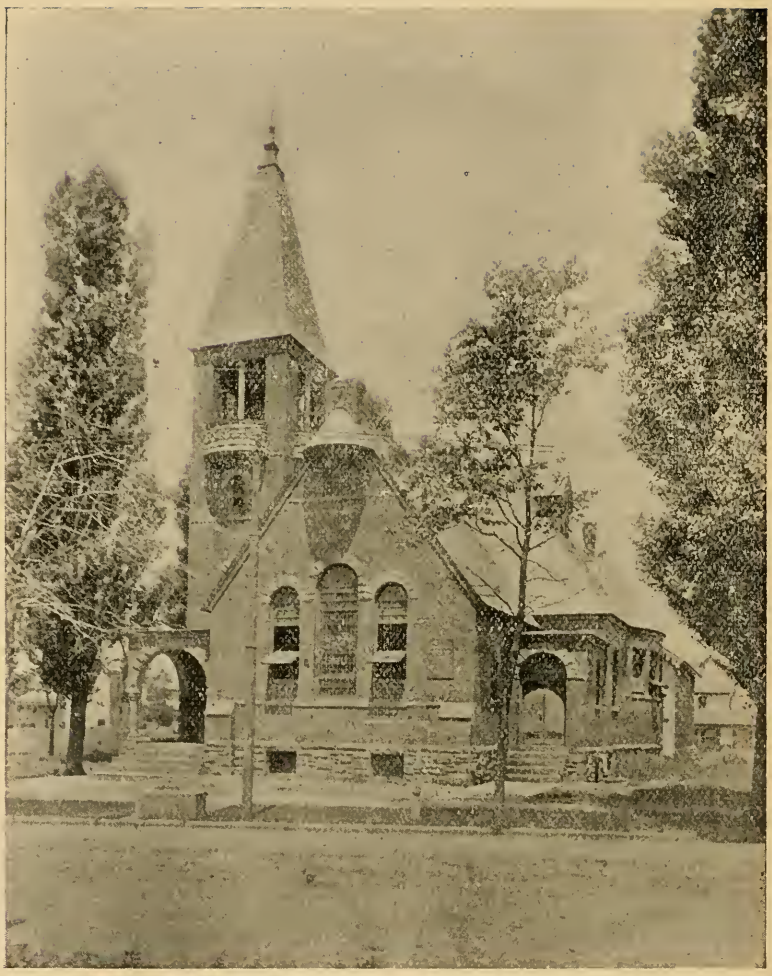
street) in 1857, by Messrs. Noyes and Trescott. The sessions were held in the old school house, now removed, and were conducted by Mr. Noyes upon a strictly undenominational basis, the various churches furnishing



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teachers as needed. The efforts of the superintendent and teachers were supplemented from time to time by preaching services conducted by Elder Prosser.

Owing to the gradually increasing number of workers furnished by the First Congregational Church, the school, about the year 1866, fell under her control, and through the untiring efforts of Mr. S. H. Sheldon, Mr. J. A. Redington, Mr. A. G. Hopkinson and Mr. Edgar Slatt was presented with a new building constructed especially for the work upon a lot on Detroit street, nearly opposite St. Paul street. In these new surroundings and upon this new site the school grew very rapidly, and for ten years, under the superintendency of Mr. Sheldon, Mr. Hopkinson, Mr. Forbes and Mr. Wilmot, deepened in spiritual power.

On account of the rapid growth of the city westward and of the evident desirability of soon organizing a church, the school in the year 1876 purchased a lot 200 feet in depth by 44 feet in width on the corner of Franklin and Waverly avenues, the present site of the church, and moved its building upon it. About this time, Rev. S. B. Shipman, who had recently been called from Atwater, O., by the First Congregational Church to take charge of Mission work on Harbor street, was given charge of the school. Mr. Shipman threw his strength into the work, and within a few months, on November 22, 1876, brought about the organization of Franklin Avenue Congregational Church, with thirty charter members, fourteen of whom were furnished by the First Church and the remainder by the school itself and the Harbor street mission.

From the day of its organization this church has been characterized by a marked unity of spirit and an untiring zeal in the Master's work. Beginning with a debt of $2,150 on their lot, this devoted little band, composed wholly of poor people, under the leadership of Rev. S. B. Shipman, their pastor, within thirteen years paid all indebtedness and raised a sufficiently large sum to warrant the erection of a church building. In 1889 this edifice was begun in most auspicious circumstances, but before the year should close the flock were destined to fall under a heavy cloud. On July 19, when the building was only half completed, the hand of death removed their pastor almost without warning, leaving them with a heavy responsibility and no shepherd. For a time it seemed to many that the work could not go on, but the devotion of too many hearts had been enlisted to suffer even so great a calamity to long check determination. A committee was at once appointed to secure a new pastor, and on October 1, 1889, but little more than two months after the death of Mr. Shipman, Rev. Herbert O. Allen, who had just graduated at Oberlin Seminary, accepted their call to the pastorate. At the death of Mr. Shipman there were 148 members enrolled. During the present pastorate the enrollment has risen by the addition of 199 members, to 267. The work is generally flourishing, and the people who still love to call themselves "The Little Church" are yet of the faith that God has given them a distinct and blessed mission to accomplish.

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FIVE Christian friends met at a private house, June 8, 1864, to take into consideration the organization of a new church. Having previously studied and given the subject prayerful thought, they entered freely into the discussion, and decided that Congregationalism would best meet their wants and necessities. From this time a regular weekly prayer-meeting was held, and as often as possible preaching on

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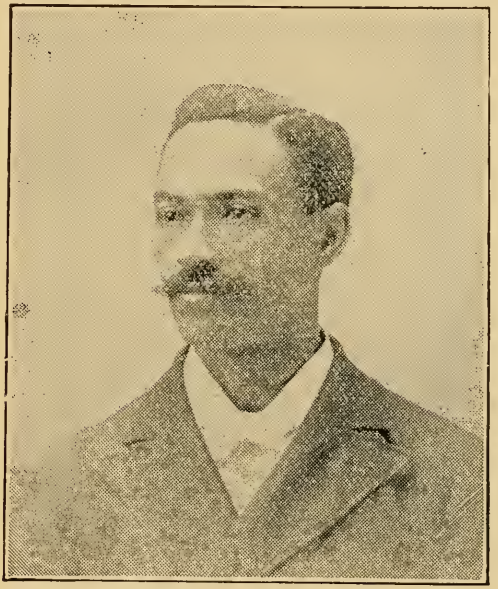
the Sabbath. On September 11, 1864, the Mount Zion Congregational Church was formally organized in Plymouth Church, then on Prospect street, between Sheriff and Erie, when nineteen Christian men and women took upon themselves the solemn covenant of the Church. The day was one of unusual interest, not only to the new, but to the old church which had so kindly opened its doors and said, "Come, you are welcome." All the Congregational churches of Cleveland were represented in the council by their pastors and delegates. Rev. J. A. Thomes and the Rev. Dr. Wolcot, with their churches, were the true friends of the new church, and by their counsel, their means and good cheer never failed to give encouragement. While Mt. Zion owes much to her sister churches, she especially regards Plymouth Church as her "foster mother," and cannot

forget the cordial, warm send-off at the old church in 1864, supplemented since by a warm-hearted, brotherly love.

First minister was Rev. J. H. Muse.

Soon after the organization, the church succeeded in erecting a very desirable brick meeting-house on Erie street. But in view of better location, and a debt necessarily heavy for them, they sold the property for $8,000, and bought the present site on Maple street, and built a neat and cosy house, free from debt. About this time the church suffered greatly from various causes. Institutions to meet the wants of those who had been oppressed were looked upon by many with distrust, and especially those who came to this city, because they had heard nothing of Congregationalism. Internal dissensions soon crept in, which seemed to



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threaten the very existence of the church; nothing was more discouraging than the loss of some of the most energetic members by change of residence. The pulpit was supplied by various ministers till September, 1873, when Rev. C. E. Ruddick became pastor, and continued till 1877. In 1878, Rev. A. J. DeHart became pastor.

Brother Johns succeeded Bro. DeHart as pastor; after his resignation, Brother S. S. Calkins administered to the spiritual wants of Mt. Zion till Brother S. N. Brown was secured for the church. Brother Brown, after an engagement of three months, was made pastor of the church. He remained on the field about three years and a half, and was successful in rebuilding and beautifying the church edifice. In 1889 he was called to Washington, and was succeeded by the Rev. Daniel W. Shaw, the present pastor, under whose hand the Church has grown and prospered.

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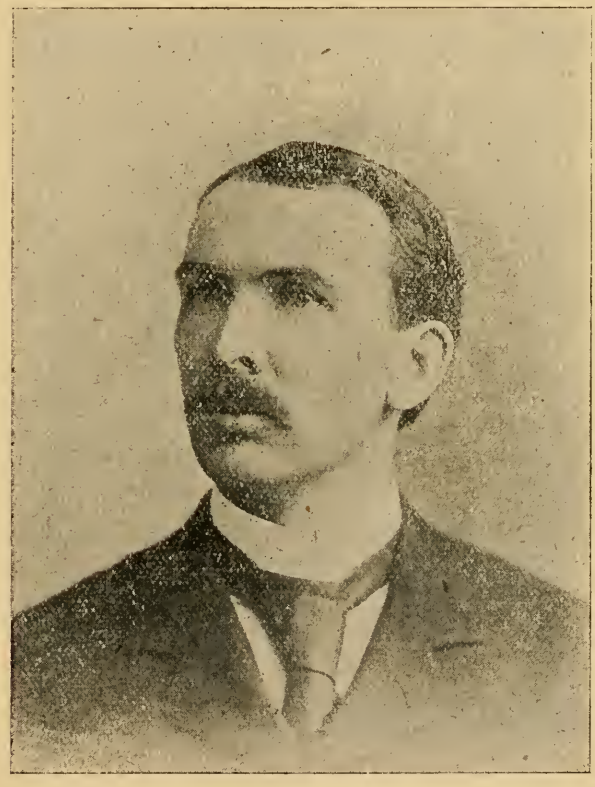
ORGANIZED in 1871, with 30 members. Aided by the Home Missionary society, 1871–1872. There are now 17 names on the roll. Sunday-school enrollment, 16. Services are held once in two weeks at the home of Rev. John M. Evans, 52 Bradford street, who is stated supply.

EAST MADISON AVENUE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

"THEN they that feared the Lord spake often one to another." This was the case with a little band of Christians who were without a church home, and so met regularly at the house of one of their number, a devout woman who lived on Lincoln avenue. The



REV. D. T. THOMAS.

attention of the Euclid Avenue Congregational Church was called to their efforts, and on May 15, 1874, a committee was appointed to visit the (so-called) Lincoln Avenue Mission, with the view of rendering such

EAST MADISON AVENUE CHURCH.

assistance as was possible. This committee, on July 24, 1874, was further instructed to "look at property with the view of purchasing" for the establishment of the Mission in a suitable building. Through their efforts a site was purchased, and a chapel erected and opened for use, January 2, 1875. The Sunday school was also organized on the same day, with Mr. B. F. Whitman of the Euclid Avenue Church as superintendent. Several others from this Church were also very much interested in the Mission, and gave much of their time to it. This interest has been sustained through the years, and has been one of the causes of its continued prosperity. Though other enterprises have been started by them, they have not forgotten their first one, nor has this Church ceased to remember the kindly interest taken in it by them.

After the organization of the Sunday-school, the Euclid Avenue Church (March 12, 1875) authorized the "committee to raise funds by voluntary subscriptions for the preaching of the gospel in the East Madison Avenue Chapel," and on May 22, 1875, the directors and Missionary Committee of the Mission recommended "that immediate steps be taken towards the organization of a Congregational Church." In response to this recommendation, the Christian people of the vicinity met in the chapel, May 25, and took the steps which resulted in the formal organization of the Church, July 3, 1875, with Rev. O. D. Fisher as its pastor. Twenty-two persons constituted the charter membership of the Church. Rev. O. D. Fisher was well fitted for the work of building up the Church, and he labored well and earnestly in this field for ten years, seeing some results in the added membership and the blessing the Church was to the community. He resigned in March, 1885, to accept a call to another field.

He was succeeded by Rev. Herbert Melville Tenney, July 26, 1885. During his ministry the Sunday-school became so crowded that the chapel had to be enlarged, which was done, and the present edifice was dedicated February 2, 1889. He also organized the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, which has proven such a blessing to every church in which it has come. After a pastorate of nearly four years, he resigned to accept a call to Grinnell, Iowa, on April 28, 1889. Rev. Wm. L. Tenney succeeded him September 2, 1889. This chu ch has been blessed with a worthy succession in its pastors. Each has seemed to be just the one needed at the time. Rev. Wm. L. Tenney entered into the work with all his soul, and God blessed his labors. He endeared himself to all by his noble qualities, and when his health gave way through overwork, the people showed their love for him in granting him a six months' rest from his work, with the hope that he might recover, but he did not regain his health by that time, and so resigned in August of 1891. During part of the time of the pastor's absence, the pulpit and the weekly church prayer meetings were under the leadership of Rev. J. P. Jones, a missionary to India. He aroused quite an interest in missions, and left many warm friends behind when he left us to go back to his work in India.

In October, 1891, Rev. Wm. A. Knight was called to the vacant pastorate. He had a particularly hard task before him, owing to the fact

that through the sickness of Rev. W. L. Tenney, the Church had been practically without a pastor for nearly a year. He was successful in his labors in interesting the people and bringing many into the Church. He was a very earnest preacher, and one especially adapted to interest working people, of which the Church is almost entirely composed. He was with us but seven months when a call came to him to work as associate pastor of the Old Stone Church, which call he accepted, and left us June, 1891.

The present pastor, Rev. D. T. Thomas, came to us November 13, 1892, from the West Congregational Church of Akron, O., where he had been a successful and beloved pastor for four years. His ministry among us has been blessed. There has been a steady growth in the membership—members having been received at every Communion since he came to us; the young people have realized great help from his sympathy and co-operation with them in their work, his unfailing attendance at their regular weekly meetings has been both encouraging and inspiring. The Junior and Intermediate Societies of Christian Endeavor have also been organized during his pastorate, and are proving a great help to the members, teaching them early the privilege of ministering to others. These societies are under the direction of the pastor's wife, who is a faithful coadjutor in the work. In addition to the Christian Endeavor Societies, the Church rejoices in an energetic and self-sacrificing Ladies' Aid and Missionary Society, in a Sabbath-school whose usefulness is only limited by the lack of teachers and adequate accommodations; in a Men's Club which has helped the Church in many ways, and is now helping in having a weekly paper, *Congregational Visitor*, distributed each week, containing Church notices and items of interest, etc.

For the past ten years the church has been opened for Sunday service and a weekly prayer meeting for the Bohemian people of the neighborhood, preaching being in their own tongue. The membership of the Church at present is 374. We have seven of the charter members with us now. Many who were formerly with us are now helping in other churches to do work for the Master. The church is by reason of its situation and composition plainly called by the Master to do a work for working people. In this work it has been blessed, and rejoices in the position of influence which it has secured in this part of the city, and looks hopefully forward to the future to be a still greater blessing.

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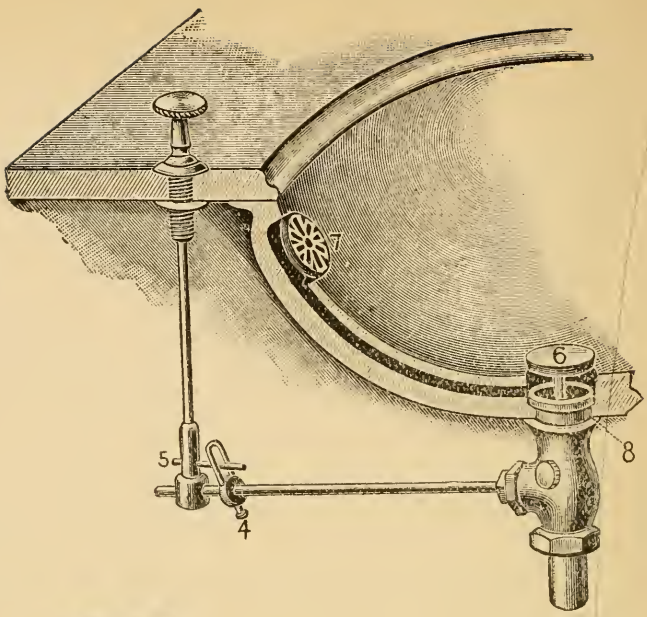

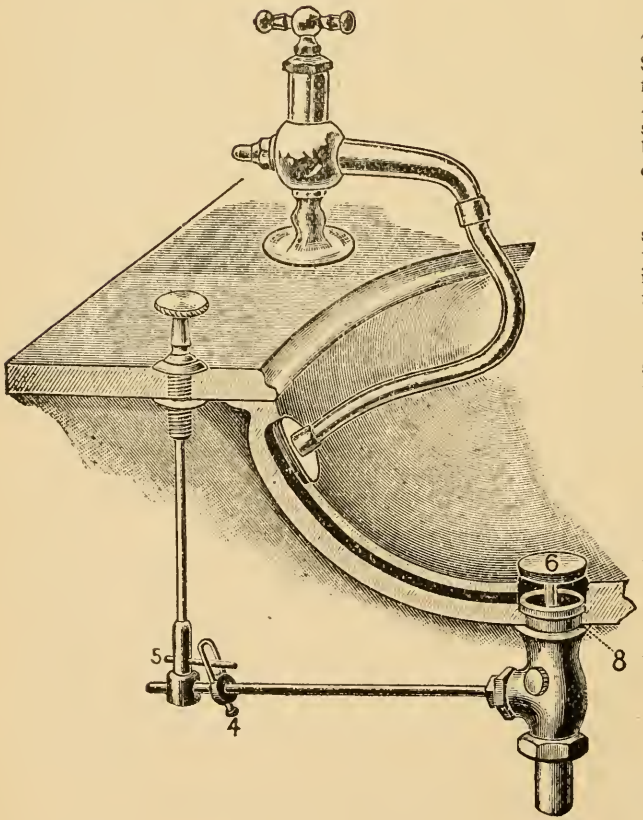

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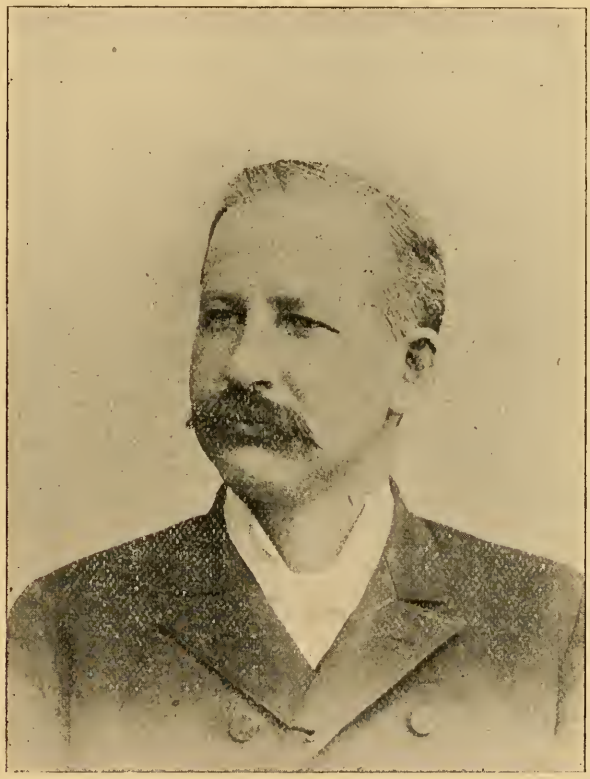
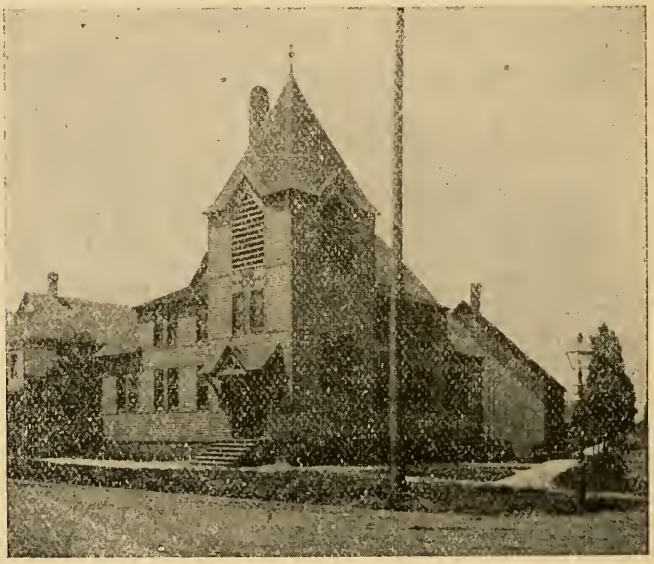


REV. J. H. HULL.

Early in the seventies, a Methodist Sunday-school, in the brick schoolhouse still standing near the corner of Denison and Ridge avenues, was succeeded by a Union school, under the efficient care of Mr. L. L. Haskins,

then a member of the First Congregational Church. This school had several years of prosperous life, reaching an attendance of over one hundred.

At length a Union Church was organized, and a commodious and convenient Union Chapel was erected at the corner of Ridge and Brinsmade avenues, largely through the influence and aid of Mr. Samuel Barker, Mr. David A. Coulter, Mr. Edwin Stinchcomb, and a few others. To this building the Union Sunday-school was transferred, and it became the temporary home of a happy and enthusiastic band of Christian workers. The Rev. Elisha A. Hoffman, of active missionary spirit, then came to this country field and became pastor.



GRACE CHURCH.

After a few years it seemed wise to change the center of work to the more thickly populated section about Clark avenue, known as "Cuba." The residents of Cuba were largely Bohemian, and the streets were full of children. Meetings were held in private houses, first and frequently in the home of Dr. Adam Oelhoff, and in a vacated saloon-grocery. From this neighborhood and from the localities previously named, came the diverse elements which were to form the new church.

Contemporaneous with these movements, the First Congregational Church had established a mission chapel on Harbor street, where a large and successful work was being done under the direction of Rev. S. B. Shipman, D. D., whose later years were given to founding and developing the Franklin Avenue Congregational Church.

The people who were planning for a new church in Cuba found that a somewhat elastic and independent organization was desired, and a Congregational council was called to assemble in the most convenient place, the Harbor Street Congregational Chapel. Here, on December 7, 1881, Grace Congregational Church was organized, with nineteen members, and the Rev. Mr. Hoffman was installed as its pastor.

It was decided to erect a suitable building on Train street, near Clark avenue, and a lot was given by the late J. M. Hoyt. Meanwhile, the surveyor of the Nickel Plate Railroad ran his line through the Harbor street property. It was decided to abandon the work there. The property was sold and $500 of the proceeds were given to add another lot to the one donated to the new church. Even more important to the new enterprise was the coming from the Harbor street work of a number of earnest workers, among them Mr. John G. Simon and Mr. F. E. Prasse, then members of the First Church, who have been devoted and faithful workers in Grace Church to this day. Thus, because of the gift of both consecrated workers and consecrated means, the spiritual and financial motherhood of the First Church is gratefully recognized. Somewhat later, additional helpers came to the new church from a Union Sunday-school, which was started on Pear street, and finally surrendered to the Episcopalians.

Funds were raised on the field and among outside friends. The Congregational Building Society made a generous grant, and we read that July 9, 1882, at a cost of nearly $2,500, "a beautiful little edifice, with Gothic windows," was dedicated.

Of the nineteen persons who formed the church, but one, Mrs. Hattie Gallagher, remains a resident member.

Among the early workers in the church may be named Dr. and Mrs. Adam Oelhoff, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Barker, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Haskins, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Coulter, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Stinchcomb, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Herbster, Mrs. Martha M. Eaton, Mr. and Mrs. John G. Simon, and Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Prasse.

The work on Train street was large and important, and the building was often thronged, especially with children. After a few years, however, it was concluded that the work should be more strictly Bohemian. The property was transferred to the Cleveland Bohemian Board on condition that a grant of $1,500 should be made by the Church Building Society for the present church edifice on the corner of Gordon avenue and Colgate street. Later, the Bohemian Board sold the Train street church and it became a Methodist mission, largely under the ownership and direction of Dr. Oelhoff. Cyril Chapel was built by the Board and the special work for the Bohemians was carried on there.

The first service held by Grace Church in the new location was conducted by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Hoffman, under an apple tree in the orchard of which the church lot was a part. The old Union Chapel on Ridge avenue was purchased and moved on to the rear of the lot for use while the new building was being erected. It is still used by the primary school and for the social services of the church. The present

church building, costing about $3,000, and with a seating capacity of three hundred and fifty, was dedicated in the summer of 1885.

The Rev. Mr. Hoffman resigned his pastorate April 1, 1886, having been instrumental in the erection of two buildings and in the enrollment of sixty-two members in Grace Church.

For some months the church was supplied by Rev. Robert Quaife, the State evangelist.

The present pastor, Rev. John H. Hull, was called from Ashtabula Harbor and began work October 1, 1886. During his pastorate of more than nine years, all debts on the church property have been paid, and it is now valued at $4,500. The interior of both buildings has been improved and considerable additions made to the equipment. The Church has been blessed with several precious revival seasons, and 248 members have been added, making a total enrollment of 310, of which about two hundred constitute the present membership. Generous aid was received from the Home Missionary Society until July 1, 1893, when it was decided to assume self-support. It has also received valuable aid from many friends in the city, among whom are the late Mr. A. G. Hopkinson of the First Church, Professor and Mrs. Chas. F. Olney of Pilgrim Church and Mr. R. K. Hawley, formerly of the Euclid Avenue Church. From the beginning, the church has had a large and prosperous Sunday-school and a very devoted and useful Ladies' Society. It also has a Senior and Junior Endeavor Society, a Men's League, Boys' Brigade, Girls' Society and Musical Society. It has furnished the larger part of the workers for the Lorain Street Mission, and with the means at its command, is seeking to do what it can to bless the community and advance the kingdom of God.

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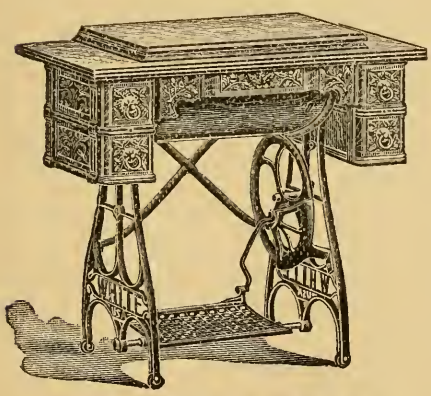

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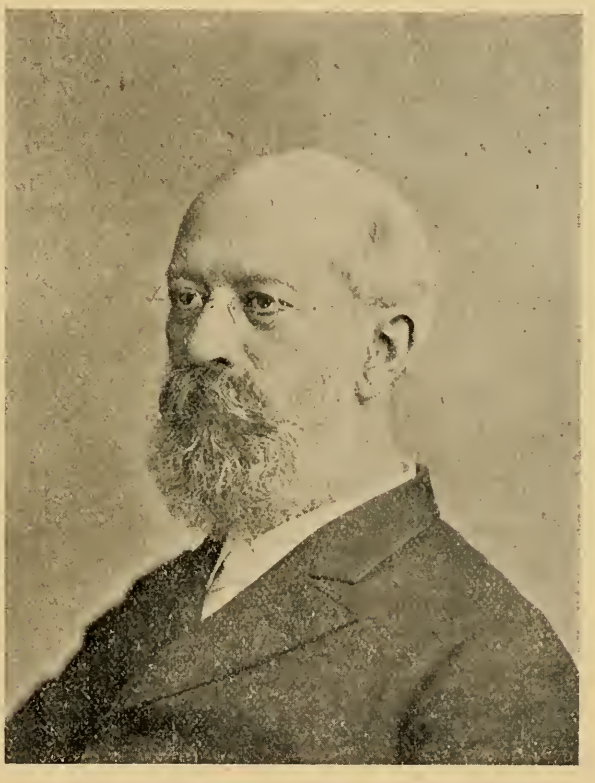

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evangelized, our chief missionary work in them must be for the foreign population. Our Slavic work is growing both in extent and power.

In the summer of 1882, Rev. Charles T. Collins, then pastor of

Plymouth Church, knowing of the spiritual destitution of the twenty to twenty-five thousand Bohemians in Cleveland, invited me to visit the city and see what could be done for them.

The result was a call to become pastor of Olivet Chapel (a mission of Plymouth Church) and missionary to Bohemians. October 12, 1882, I moved to Cleveland and the next Sabbath commenced Bohemian services in Olivet Chapel. This being too far from the chief Bohemian colony, the invitation of the Broadway M. E. Church to occupy their rear room was accepted in December, 1882. June 25 of 1883, a conference of members of our city Congregational churches was called, which resolved to recom-

BETHLEHEM CHURCH AND BIBLE READERS HOME.

mend to their churches to adopt the Bohemian work, and to contribute one thousand dollars a year to its support, the American Home Missionary Society agreeing to supplement this amount. This action being accepted by the Cleveland Congregational churches, resulted in the formation of the Bohemian Mission Board of Cleveland, an incorporated society, formed of one member chosen periodically by each city Congregational church that chooses to do so. The present members are Mr. Horace Ford, of Euclid Avenue Congregational Church; Dr. A. G. Hart, of Pilgrim Church; Mr. L. F. Mellen, of Plymouth Church; Mr. John Harrington, of the First Congregational Church, and Mr. John Broughton, of the Brooklyn Congregational Church.

When I was invited by the Congregational churches here to take up work for the 25,000 Bohemians of this city, I answered that if the Congregational churches of Cleveland would take up this work and carry it on in the same way in which foreign missionary work is done, not expecting great results in a short time, but determined to hold on to it until the desired results should be reached, whatever expense of time or means it might require, I would gladly enter upon it. It was on this basis that the Congregational churches of Cleveland commenced this work and have carried it on to the present time.

In December, 1883, the Bohemian service was removed to the small Republican wigwam on

L. F. MELLEN, PRESIDENT BOHEMIAN BOARD.

MRS. CLARA HOBART SCHAUFFLER.

Czar street, where an English service and week-day evening meeting and a Sunday-school were commenced.

Soon after, a fierce quarrel broke out between the large Bohemian Roman Catholic church on the West Side and the Roman Catholic bishop, which resulted in his closing the church, parsonage and schoolhouse, which remained empty eighteen months. At the invitation of the pastor of Grace Congregational Church, then on Train street, I commenced Bohemian service in that chapel in March, 1884, first on a week-day evening, and then on Sunday afternoon. When Grace Church built its present edifice, its old chapel passed into the hands of the Bohemian Mission Board.

In the summer of 1887 the old Grace Chapel was given up, and the

REV. JOHN PRUCHA, BOHEMIAN PASTOR.

REV. E M. MAY, ENGLISH PASTOR.

pretty new Cyril Chapel was built for the Bohemian Mission and dedicated July 10. The work in that field, now centering in Cyril Chapel on Selden avenue, will be separately reported.

When, after five and a half years' work, we had the joy of forming in Cleveland the first Congregational Bohemian Church, we could not but remember that in Bohemia it was seven and a half years before the missionaries of the American Board were able to form a church, and that the first American missionaries in Constantinople, who were working amongst the nominal Christians of that empire, no harder to reach than Roman Catholics, had to wait fourteen years before they could gather the first fruits of their labors into a native church.

Early in 1884 a lot was secured on Broadway in the center of the Bohemian colony. Funds were then collected from friends of the work, irrespective of denomination, and Bethlehem Church was erected at a cost for land and building of $8,000. It was dedicated January 1, 1885.

After the building of Bethlehem Church, the work expanded and flourished. The Sunday-school soon quite filled the building, so that in 1889 four good-sized rooms were added to the rear, for Sunday-school classes, sewing-school, evening meetings and other purposes. A boys' band was formed which met on one week-day evening, and more recently a girls' club for older girls and young women desirous of learning useful occupations was commenced, as well as a Saturday morning school, in which Bohemian children, who would otherwise attend a school conducted by infidels, can learn their mother tongue under Christian influences. The sewing-school meets Saturday afternoon. Preaching services are held in Bohemian and English Sunday morning, the Sunday-school in both languages at 2 p. m., and two large and flourishing Christian Endeavor societies, one Bohemian and the other English, hold their meetings on Sunday evening. The latter is followed by a brief sermon or address in English. In March, 1888, Bethlehem Congregational Church was formed with seventy-three members, by aid of a council of Cleveland Congregational churches, and has grown to a membership of 160, besides a branch of thirty-three at Cyril Chapel and one of over ninety in Braddock, Penn.

By these various means (some of which are now generally called institutional) Bethlehem is reaching out to the various elements of the very diversified population all around it, and seeking to bring them into union with Christ and each other and to make them an ever-growing power for good.

During the last missionary year ending April 1, 1895, the average weekly attendance at the most important services was: Bohemian, morning, 76; English, morning, 47; Bohemian Christian Endeavor, 32; English Christian Endeavor, 89; Sunday-school, 389.

Of Bethlehem's young people, five young men and five young women have given themselves to missionary work for Bohemians and Poles, besides a dozen more who came to Cleveland from other places for the same purpose and here joined Bethlehem Church.

GROUP OF BIBLE READERS SCHOOL.

Since the beginning there have been connected with the Bethlehem work at different times, Rev. and Mrs. F. N. Price, Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Nichols, Rev. John Balcar, and Rev. and Mrs. Philip Reitinger. At present, Rev. John Prucha is pastor of the Bohemian branch of the church, Rev. E. M. May is pastor of the English branch, Superintendent Schauffler is also pastor and superintendent of the Sunday-school.

In October of 1886 Bohemian services were commenced in the East Madison Avenue Congregational Church, whose members kindly permitted the use of their edifice for this purpose, and have ever since generously borne the chief incidental expense connected with such use. This is an important center for Bohemian work, being situated in a large Bohemian colony. During the last missionary year attendance at the morning services averaged over fifty-nine, and at the Bohemian Mission Sunday-school held in the afternoon, 242. There is a flourishing Junior Christian Endeavor Society. Miss Sarah R. Merrell has been engaged in this work since March, 1887. Dr. John S. French is superintendent of the Sunday-school. The Bohemian services and Wednesday evening prayer meetings are conducted by Bethlehem pastors aided by students of the Oberlin Slavic department.

MISS ANNA GROSS, MATRON BIBLE READERS HOME.

MISS MARIE REITINGER.

In the four stations there were held during the last missionary year a weekly average of six preaching services, four Sunday-school sessions, and nineteen other meetings, with a total average weekly attendance of 1,781. Contributions to Missions were $193.10. Number of visits made, 5,295.

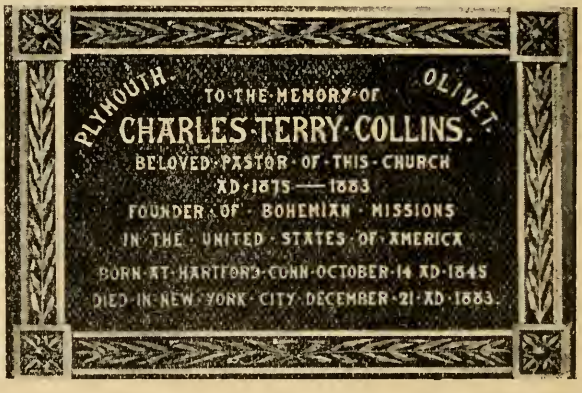
CHARLES TERRY COLLINS.

We have but begun to touch the Polish population, having only two ordained and three unordained male, and two female, missionaries at work for the somewhere about one million of Poles in this country, who are in even greater need of the pure Gospel than the Bohemians. Such work, as indeed all work for unevangelized populations in our large cities, requires a much larger working force than is needed in a well-regulated Protestant parish.

In May, 1893, Mizpah Chapel, on Ackley avenue near Fleet street, was dedicated. It is our polyglot chapel, situated between our largest Polish and a growing Bohemian colony, and four languages, Polish, German, Bohemian and English, are constantly used in the work done there.

BETHLEHEM BIBLE READERS SCHOOL.

In January of 1886 the Bible Readers School was commenced by Miss Clara Hobart (now Mrs. H. A. Schauffler) with one pupil. In the fall of 1888 the school found a home in a hired house, and in the fall of 1890 it moved into the commodious building erected for it by the generosity of friends of this most important and fundamental work of training young women of various nationalities for missionary work among their own people in this country. There are ten pupils in the Bible Readers School, eleven of whose former pupils and graduates are working in eight cities in six states. One graduate, our only Bible reader nurse, lives at the Home and is making it a center of greatly needed Christ-like relief for suffering and often helpless individuals and families. The im-



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portance and value of the work done by these young women, in visiting homes otherwise inaccessible, and carrying the Gospel to those who would otherwise never hear it, bringing strangers to our services, aiding in Sunday-school work, leading in the service of song and visiting the sick, cannot be estimated. The expenses of the Home and school, aside from the missionary teachers' salaries, are paid by voluntary contribution of friends. Of this school, Mrs. H. A. Schauffler is the principal and teacher of the English Bible; Miss Anna A. Gross is matron and teacher of English branches; Miss Ella Hobart, teacher of organ and vocal music and of the Polish Bible; Miss Marie Reitinger, teacher of the Bohemian branches and the Bohemian and German Bible. Rev. John Prucha gives instruction in Bohemian grammar and composition; Miss G. Bristol gives organ lessons, and Mrs. Piotrowska teaches the Polish language.

There is a beautiful bronze tablet placed in Plymouth Church with the inscription: To the Memory of Charles Terry Collins. Founder of Bohemian Missions in the United States of America. Born at Hartford, Conn., October 14, 1845. Died in New York City, December 21, A. D. 1883.

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THE SWEDISH CHURCH.

LEXINGTON AVENUE, NEAR WILLSON AVENUE, ORGANIZED 1889.

PLYMOUTH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH having seen the work among the Bohemians successfully started under Dr. Schauffler, stretched out its hands to help the Scandinavians in this city, and in 1889 opened Olivet Chapel, corner of Hill and Commercial streets, to this new mission, under the care of Rev. August W. Franklin.

REV. N. J. BOLIN.

A church organization was formed in that year, with nine members, ready to work and sacrifice for the cause of Christ among their fellow-countrymen. Aid was received from the Home Missionary Society from

1890–95, and the blessing of God so attended the labors of Bro. Franklin that a Sunday-school, a Christian Endeavor Society and a good congregation soon grew up, requiring a building of their own. A lot was secured on Lexington avenue, near Willson, 80x150 feet, worth $3,200, and a building worth $3,000 erected, into which the enterprise moved, with a membership of about seventy, and a debt of $3,500.

The audience room will seat two hundred and fifty and the prayer room seventy. The services are all in Swedish, and are well attended.

In 1895 Mr. Franklin was succeeded by Rev. N. J. Bolin, who has taken up the burden hopefully. The membership, January 1, 1896, was seventy-five. The average attendance at Sunday-school is thirty-five, and the enrollment of the Christian Endeavor Society is forty.

SWEDISH CHURCH.

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UNION CHURCH.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

WEDNESDAY evening, October 6, 1886, in response to a notice duly given, a meeting was held to consider the present needs of the neighborhood, and to take any action which seemed wise and expedient.

REV. C. H. LEMMON.

At this meeting it was decided to invite a council of the Congregational churches of this city to meet in the Union Street Chapel, Sunday,

October 10, 1886, to consider the expediency of organizing a Congregational Church.

Rev. E. Lyman Hood, who had been ministering on the field two months, was elected to prepare the letters missive; the same to be submitted to and signed by those who purposed to join the church.

This council met Sunday, October 10, 1886, as desired. The facts elicited before this council were, that the persons present were unanimous in desiring to have a Congregational Church organized in their chapel. As those desiring to enter into the organization had not as yet secured letters of dismissal from the churches with which they were connected, they were advised to do so at once; and call to their next meeting, for assistance and advice, the state secretary, Rev. A. C. Barrows, and to adopt a covenant, constitution and articles of faith.

It was agreed by the council that the time had arrived for the organization of a Congregational Church in this place, and arrangements for another council, Sunday, October 24, at 3:30, were made. The closing prayer was then offered and the council adjourned.

Wednesday evening, October 13, 1886, a number of persons assembled at Union Chapel for the purpose of making the necessary arrangements for the organization, also to adopt a constitution, covenant and articles of faith, with the assistance of Rev. A. C. Barrows, who was present. The names of those purposing to unite with the new church by letter, were as follows: Mrs. Agnes Shanks, Mrs. Catherine Horwell, Mrs. Jessie Davis, Mrs. Maria Pittaway, Mr. Andrew Campbell, Mrs. Isabella Campbell, Mr. John Maitland, Miss Emma L. Rhodes. On profession, Mr. William H. Watkins, Mrs. Margaret Price, Mrs. Margaret Hawthorne.

At this meeting, Mr. Jno. Maitland was elected chairman, Mr. Andrew Campbell, committee, and Mr. Will. Watkins, clerk.

It was ordered that the above-named officers should serve until the first formal election of officers after the organization of the church. It was also ordered that these officers should make all needful provision for the meeting of the council of the Congregational churches of Cleveland, Sunday afternoon, October 24, 1886.

The rules for the joint action of the First Congregational Church and society were then considered, paragraph by paragraph, and necessary changes made, after which they were adopted as the rules for the joint action of the proposed church society; it was voted to respectfully request the trustees of the society to call a legal meeting and consider these rules as amended, and adopt them. The meeting then adjourned until the hour of the meeting of the council.

October 24, 1886, this council met, and after adopting the constitution, articles of faith and covenant, examined the candidates and they were received into the church.

The name of the new organization was to be called the Union Congregational Church.

December 5, 1886, at a meeting held in the chapel, it was unanimously voted to call Mr. E. E. Scovill to become their pastor.

The invitation was accepted, and on May 19, 1887, Mr. E. E. Scovill was ordained and installed.

At this time we had 30 members. The Rev. E. E. Scovill continued with us in faithful, earnest, Christian labor for eight years, when he received a call to the missionary field in Cincinnati, which he accepted, leaving 144 members. During his ministry a new house of worship was erected.

February 10, 1895, a call was extended to Rev. Chas. H. Lemmon, which was accepted by him, and he is at present with us.

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Woodhouse, Mary.....Orleans St
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Wiltshire, Minnie.....Heath St
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Wendling, Catharine.....Gibson St
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PARK CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH,

CORNER CULLISON STREET AND CRAWFORD ROAD.

PARK Congregational Church had its beginning in a Sunday-school held in the home of Mr. Alfred Roberts, on the corner of Doan street and Crawford road, organized July 4, 1886. The Sunday-

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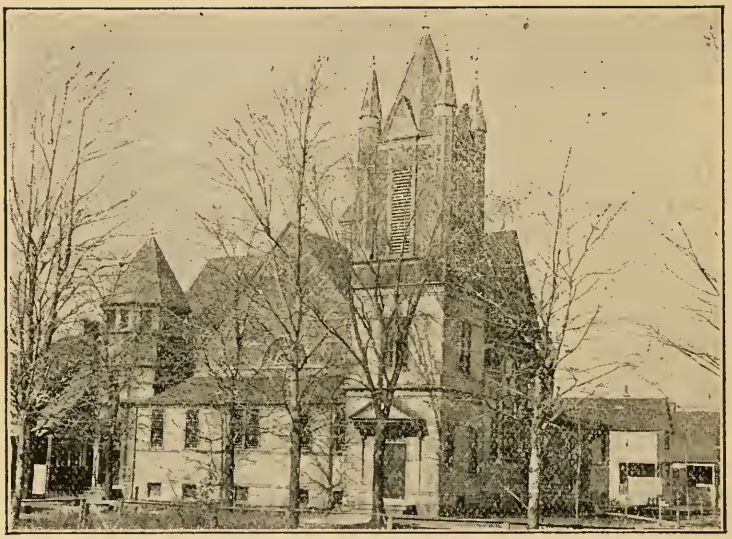
school was union in its character. The people began immediately to discuss the advisability of building a chapel, which resulted in the dedication of a Union Chapel, August 22, 1886, situated on the southwest



PARK CHURCH.

corner of Doan street and Crawford road. This was the only church in a tract embracing about two square miles of territory at that time.

For about two years the pulpit of this Union Chapel was supplied by whoever was available, during which time regular preaching and Sunday-school and young people's meetings were maintained. But the people felt their need of fellowship and the weakness of their isolation and decided to transfer their society to some evangelical denomination, and in January, 1888, the work and property of the Union Chapel was transferred to the strong and tender care of the Euclid Avenue Congregational Church, and was known as the North Branch. The services were under the supervision of a band of "Lay Preachers" which was organized by Dr. Ladd in the Mother Church, until a pastor was called, in July, 1889. At the time of organization, Chas. M. Preston was elected superintendent, which position he held until October, 1894. The first pastor of the "Branch" was Rev. I. W. Metcalf, who divided his work with the "Hough Branch" until March, 1890, when Rev. M. L. Berger, D.D., took charge of the work. The "North Branch" was recognized as an independent church, October 2, 1890, and took the name of Park Congregational Church, and M. L. Berger, D.D., was installed as pastor.

It was soon discovered that the location of the chapel was not central, and that there was need for larger accommodations for the rapidly increasing population, and a lot was purchased for a new church on the corner of Crawford road and Cullison street. The corner-stone for the new structure was laid July 31, 1892. The plans for the church building were made by J. B. Shengle, a member of the church. In due time, one of the neatest and most convenient of Cleveland's smaller Congregational churches was completed. The church organization has been steadily growing, and is doing good work and exerting a strong influence upon the community of which it is a part. After serving the church most efficiently for five years, Rev. Dr. Berger found it necessary because of impaired health to resign his pastoral charge, which he did January 27, 1895. The church extended a call to Rev. E. S. Rothrock, who began work March 24, 1895. The outlook for the church is very encouraging. The membership now numbers 170. The Sunday-school has an average attendance of about one hundred and sixty.

Among the many faithful and efficient workers in and for Park Church should be especially mentioned Chas. M. Preston, A. T. Caulfield, S. C. Hale, and from the "home church," H. Clark Ford.

The organizations connected with the church are:

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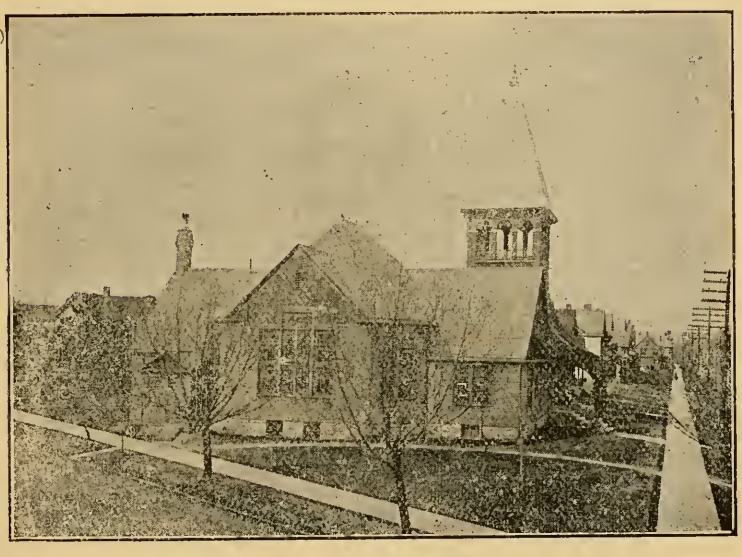
HOUGH AVENUE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

ON October 25-27, 1888, a house-to-house canvass of the Hough Avenue field was made by Rev. W. F. McMillen, secretary of the Congregational Sunday-school and Publishing Society, assisted by Rev. M. L. Berger, D.D. On Sunday, October 28, 1888, a Sunday-school was organized in the Republican wigwam, on the northwest corner of Hough and Harkness avenues, under the auspices and support of the Euclid Avenue Congregational Church, with James W. Moore as



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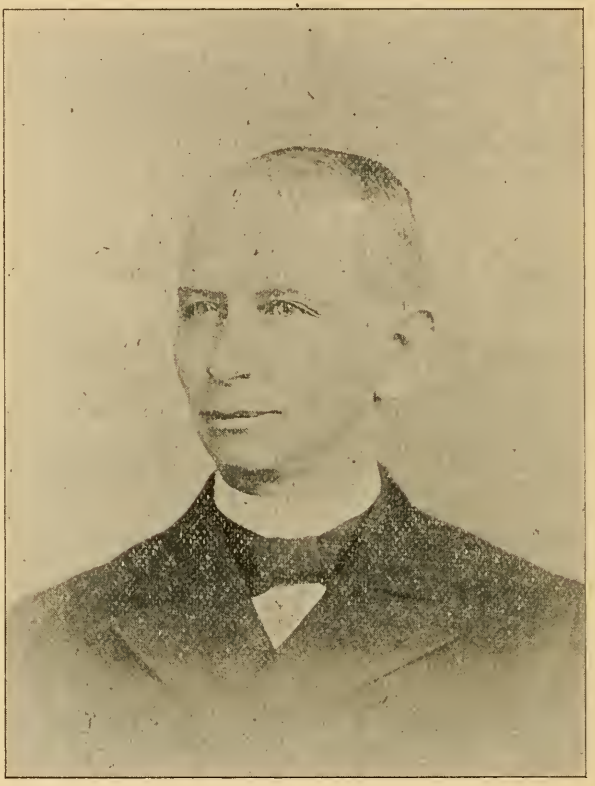
superintendent. Regular preaching services began on the following Sunday, conducted by Dr. Berger. A weekly prayer meeting has been sustained since November 15, 1888 Dr. Berger continued as associate pastor of the Euclid Avenue Church and minister-in-charge of the Hough Avenue Mission until the last Sunday of June, 1889.

On the first Sunday of July, 1889, Rev. Irving W. Metcalf, then pastor of the Central Congregational Church, Dayton, Ohio, preached at the wigwam; and on the last Sunday of July he began his work as pastor

of the Hough Avenue Mission, under a call from the Euclid Avenue Church.

The foregoing cut represents the Nineteenth Ward Wigwam in which the Hough Avenue Congregational Sunday-school was organized, and also the Hough Avenue Branch of the Euclid Avenue Congregational Church, which afterwards became the Hough Avenue Congregational



REV. C. W. CARROLL.

Church. Services were held here from October 28, 1888, to November 23, 1890.

February 11, 1890, the congregation was formally organized and recognized by an ecclesiastical council as The Hough Avenue Branch of the Euclid Avenue Congregational Church, with forty-six charter members, of whom five were previously members of the Mother Church.

The branch relation continued until March 18, 1891, when, in response to a letter-missive issued jointly by the Euclid Avenue Church

and the Hough Avenue Branch, another ecclesiastical council formally organized and recognized The Hough Avenue Congregational Church, with 111 members, and installed Rev. Irving W. Metcalf as pastor. The Church has been self-supporting since that time.

The lot on the southwest corner of Hough avenue and Crawford road was purchased September 2, 1889. Ground was broken for the present chapel, June 16, 1890. The corner-stone was laid with appropriate exercises, Sunday afternoon, July 13, 1890. The first prayer meeting in the new chapel was held Friday evening, November 28, 1890, and the building was formally dedicated Sunday, November 30, 1890. The Church was legally incorporated October 23, 1891, and the property, which had been held by F. B. Fox, trustee, was deeded to the Church on December 5, 1891.

Toward the cost of the church property members of the Euclid Avenue Church generously contributed nearly $3,000, and until the Branch Church became independent, the Mother Church paid more than three-fourths of the current expenses. The remainder of the amount paid for the property and for current expenses was given by the members of the Hough Avenue congregation, property owners in the neighborhood, and other friends.

The roll of the church now contains the names of 492 persons, of whom 186 were received on confession of faith, and 306 by letter from other churches. Fifteen have been removed by death, 84 have been dismissed to other churches, and from one fellowship has been withdrawn, leaving the present membership 392.

The pastorate of Rev. Irving W. Metcalf closed with the Communion service, January 7, 1894, at which time seven infant children were presented for baptism and nine new members were received.

Rev. Charles W. Carroll began work with the church April 1, 1894, and was installed pastor April 3, 1895. The work continued to grow so rapidly and steadily that in the autumn of 1894 the chapel proved to be too small to accommodate either the audience or the Sunday-school. March 8, 1895, the church voted to erect a new building.

OFFICERS OF THE CHURCH.

Pastor—Rev. Charles W. Carroll, 48 Brookfield street.

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REGULAR MEETINGS.

SUNDAY SERVICES—Public Worship, 10 a. m. and 7 p. m.; Sunday-school, 11:30 a. m., Junior Endeavor Society, 3 p. m.; Intermediate Endeavor Society, 5 p. m.; Senior Endeavor Society, 5:45 p. m.

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Fox, Mrs. F. B.....133 Crawford Road
Fox, Ernest C.....133 Crawford Road
Fuller, Mrs. Theo. H.164 Crawford Road
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.....North Manchester, Ind.
Fretz, Gideon H.....22 Meridian St
Fretz, Mrs. Gideon H.....22 Meridian St
Foote, Clayton H.....216 Princeton St
Foote, Mrs. Clayton H.....216 Princeton St
Foote, Medora.....216 Princeton St
Foster, Henry L.....68 Stanley Av
Foster, Mrs. Henry L.....68 Stanley Av
Frost, James R.....8 Van Ness St
Frost, Mrs. May J.....8 Van Ness St
Glazier, H. H.....Cincinnati
Glazier, Mrs. H. H.....City
Goodyear, F.....Kent, Ohio
Goodyear, Mrs. F.....Kent, Ohio
Guy, Benj. A.....1 Bolton Av
Gregory, Lula....161 Commonwealth Av
Gable, D.....251 Marcy Av
Gable, Mrs. D.....251 Marcy Av
Gazeley, Mrs. B. R. F...199 Lincoln Av
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Gleason, E. W.....124 Crawford Road
Gleason, Mrs. E. W..124 Crawford Road
Grant, Charles E.....12 Crawford Pl
Grant, Mrs. Mildred P...12 Crawford Pl
Garland, W. T.....318 Genesee Av
Garland, Mrs. W. T.....318 Genesee Av
Gosney, E.....277 Crawford Road
Gosney, Mrs. E.....277 Crawford Road
Gosney, Ashley.....277 Crawford Road
Gamble, Izetta.....105 Dibble Av
Green, Mrs. Martha.....Crawford Place
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Gould, Francis E.....265 Marcy Av
Gould, Thomas W.....265 Marcy Av
Gould, Charles.....265 Marcy Av
Gould, Rosa.....265 Marcy Av
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Hunter, Mrs. Sarah H..93 Van Ness Av
Hobart, Mrs. A. G.....99 Crawford Road
Humphreys, G. S.....55 Hough Place
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Hanford, Charles....327 Crawford Road
Hanford, Fannie H..327 Crawford Road
Hyatt, Mrs. Maud C.....743 Hough Av
Hadley, Mrs. Mary J....20 Linwood St
Hadley, Bertha.....20 Linwood St
Hadley, Ray .....29 Princeton St
Hadley, Margaret E....20 Linwood St
Hadley, Grace.....20 Linwood St
Howe, Edward L....93 Commonwealth
Howe, Jennie A.....93 Commonwealth
Howe, Miss Mary B..91 Commonwealth
Hudson, Mrs. Sarah L..99 Van Ness Av
Hutchinson, Mrs. Addie Louise.....
.....102 Van Ness Av
Inman, J. L.....Lorain, Ohio
Inman, Mrs. J. L.....Lorain, Ohio
Judson, Mrs. Bertha A.....
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Judson, O. H.....158 Amesbury Av
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Jackson, Mrs. A. H.....427 Clark Av
Jarvis, Mrs. Sarah D.....
.....W. Madison, cor. Highland Av
Jarvis, Olive .....
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Judy, J. W.....43 Dorchester Av
Judy, Mrs. J. W.....43 Dorchester Av
Jones, Margaret .....35 Bolton Place
Jones, Mary A.....35 Bolton Place
Jones, Hazel M.....35 Bolton Pl
Joyce, J. A.....20 Van Ness Av
Joyce, Mrs. J. A.....20 Van Ness Av
Johnson, Jessie .....642 Hough Av
Keith, M. W.....769 E. Madison Av
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Kassulker, Mrs. Bessie.....
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Kerr, Mary F.....Newburg
Kline, John.....684 Hough Av
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Kraus, Mrs. Mary T.....68 Alanson St
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Kirk, Dr. Emett H.....299 Crawford Rd
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Lucas, Walter.....307 Crawford Rd
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Metcalf, Bert A.....40 Linwood St
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Mills, Mrs. Silvia B..New London, Ohio
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Merrill, E. F.....19 Dunham Pl
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Malone, Mrs. Grace E.....618 Hough Av
McPeck, Dr. E. E.....656 Hough Av
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Miller, Mrs. E. J.....87 Amesbury Av
Morehouse, Wm.....823 Hough Av
Morehouse, Mrs. Minnie H.....
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Morehouse, Mrs. Alberta.....
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Morehouse, Mrs. Mattie.....
.....340 Crawford Rd
Muir, Arthur L.....851 East Madison
Nicklas, William H.....81 Shipherd
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Noble, J. A.....Marcy Av
Noble, Mrs. J. A.....Marcy Av
Nothnagle, Alice.....263 Marcy Av
Nothnagle, Della.....263 Marcy Av
Orr, Violet.....22 Stanley Av
Ormsby, H. A..266 Commonwealth Av
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Ormsby, Helen E.....
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Osborn, Miss Frank E.....
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Paine, Mrs. Sarah B.....313 Genesee Av

Paine, Myra L.....313 Genesee Av
Perkins, H. M.....Lorain, Ohio
Perkins, Mrs. H. M.....Lorain, Ohio
Perkins, Bessie A.....Lorain, Ohio
Perkins, Byron A.....Lorain, Ohio
Pay, W. S.....118 Whitney Av
Pay, Mrs. W. S.....118 Whitney Av
Phinney, Mrs. Ellen J..168 Crawford Rd
Phinney, Albert J.....168 Crawford Rd
Phinney, Georgie E....168 Crawford Rd
Parrish, Mary F.....99 Van Ness St
Percy, John G.....129 Sixth Av
Percy, Mrs. John G.....129 Sixth Av
Post, Martha.....68 Stanley Av
Parsons, Mrs. Laura...278 Harkness Av
Parsons, Bess C.....278 Harkness Av
Parsons, Julia M.....278 Harkness Av
Plimpton, Silas W.....31 Bolton Pl
Plimpton, Mrs. Hannah R.....
.....31 Bolton Pl
Plimpton, Mrs. Carrie.....770 Genesee
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Plimpton, Nathan C.....31 Bolton Pl
Roberts, Dr. J. A..... City
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Robinson, Mrs. Rachel A.....
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Rickert, Sarah.....251 Marcy Av
Roberts, Mrs. Louisa A..637 Hough Av
Roberts, Sadie M.....637 Hough Av
Rice, W. E.....25½ Kenmore St
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Roessing, L. B...41 Commonwealth Av
Roessing, Mrs. L. B.....
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Roessing, Kate.....41 Commonwealth
Roessing, Clara.....41 Commonwealth
Rockwell, Mrs. L.....770 Genesee Av
Rockwell, Harriet.....770 Genesee Av
Roberts, Mrs. Mary.....20 Kenmore St
Randall, Mrs. F. E.....758 Hough Av
Scales, Mrs. Agatha C.....86 Mather St
Simon, Mrs. Clara B.....96 Blaine St
Simon, Stella.....96 Blaine St
Simon, Mabel.....96 Blaine St
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Solomon, Fred C....218 Crawford Road
Skinner, S. A.....Toledo, O
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Spear, Miss Mary E.....271 Marcy
Spear, Miss Mertie M.....271 Marcy
Summers, James.....339 Crawford
Summers, Kittie....339 Crawford Road
Summers, Miss Maud.....339 Crawford
Sanderson, Wm. H.....99 Princeton St
Savage, Wm. H.....344 Lincoln Av
Stevens, Mrs. E. M.....Kent, O
Stevens, Albert E.....Kent, O
Sebelin, Mrs. Jessie M.....
.....236½ Harkness Av
Skinner, Henry C.....15 Kenmore St
Shackleton, Deborah E.....17 Cory Av
Shackleton, Archie S.....17 Cory Av
Shaw, Frederick W.....816 Hough Av
Shaw, Samuel T.....816 Hough Av
Shaw, E. B.....29 Princeton St
Shaw, Mrs. E. B.....29 Princeton St
Scott, Mrs. W. N.....16 Mather St
Scott, Florence E.....16 Mather St
Scott, Lottie.....16 Mather St
Smith, Harriet.....55 Hough Pl
Smith, Mrs. Mina.....36 Bolton Pl
Skinner, R. Wade.....15 Kenmore St
Thomsen, Ludwig.....31 Cory Av
Thomsen, Mark L.....31 Cory Av
Thomsen, Rasmus.....31 Cory Av
Thomsen, Christine.....31 Cory Av
Tyler, Silvia M.....13 Hough Pl
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Thompson, Lucy E...1295 Lexington Av
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Tinkler, Mrs. Charles H.120 Van Ness Av

Uhl, Mrs. Gertrude M....1583 Euclid Av
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Wood, Mary.....708 Genesee Av
Wood, Sarah A.....708 Genesee Av
Wood, Alice.....708 Genesee Av
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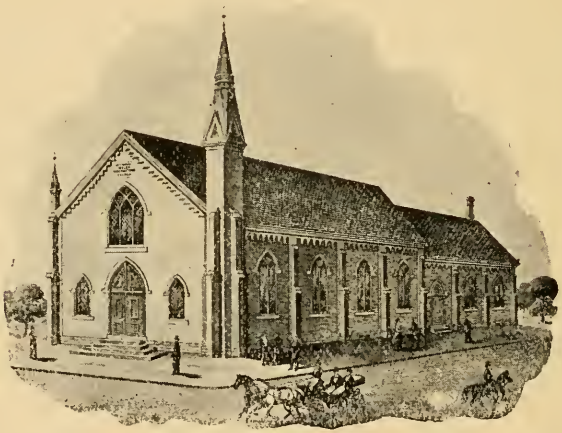

CENTENNIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Welshman's heart like the harmonious chords that swell in the consonants of his mother's language. Since this is so, it is very evident that where "two or three of them gather together," they will converse to their heart's content in their own tongue, and they will not be long together without singing old hymns and praying to their God. A small number of Welsh people emigrated from Wales to Newburg early in the fifties, and two of the number, viz: David I. Jones and his brother, John Jones, started, on a small scale, the mill which is still in existence, and called "The Cleveland Rolling Mill Co." At that time there were about twenty-five Welsh people in the place. In 1857, Thomas D. Jones and George M. Jones moved here from Niles, Ohio, and in a short time after started a Sunday-school with thirteen scholars, in the house of Robert

Edwards on Broadway. George M. Jones acted as Sunday-school superintendent and T. D. Jones as leader of the singing.

At this time the little band was like the Israelites of old; they were pilgrims and sojourners, yet perfectly conscious of being led by God's hand. Cottage prayer meetings were begun at this time, and carried on regularly until the organization of the Church. Finally, in the fall of 1858, at the house of William Jones, Harvard street, a church was organized with fifteen members.

Names in their order of coming:

Thomas D. Jones,
George M. Jones,
Evan Jones,
David Llewellyn,
Morgan Howells,
David I. Jones,
Mrs. Methuselah Evans,
Mrs. Elias Bassett,
Mrs. John Rowland,
Mrs. David Llewellyn,
William Jones,
Mrs. William Jones,
Mrs. Morgan Howells,
Mrs. David I. Jones,
Mrs. David Evans.

Rev. D. Davies (Dewi Emlyn), Parisville, acted as moderator and George M. Jones as scribe.

Thomas D. Jones and William Jones were elected first deacons, and George M. Jones the first secretary of the new organization, and it was unanimously decided to follow the Congregational Church polity. More Welsh people coming to the place, and more interest manifested continually in the little church, it was decided to build a permanent home for the ark of God, and Esquire Hamilton, father of present Hon. Judge Hamilton, presented them with a lot on Wales street, then the Euclid

avenue of Newburg, and in June, 1860, they moved from Thomas D. Jones' house to their new edifice, although it had no door nor window. By this time the Church had induced their worthy secretary, George M. Jones, to preach, and he consented and supplied the pulpit very often. In September, 1860, the building was completed and dedication services were held. In attendance were the Rev. D. Davies, "Demi Emlyn," Parisville; Rev. Lloyd, Palmyra; Rev. J. Edwards, Crabcreek; Rev. T. Davies, Youngstown; Rev. J. B. Thomas, Mineral Ridge. The Church numbered about twenty-five at this time. Rev. R. Richards came to stay in Newburg, and he was often called upon to supply the pulpit. The Church lived peacefully on the ministry of Mr. Jones and Mr. Richards until the year 1864, when a call was extended to Rev. W. Watkins, a student at Marietta college. He accepted the call, and ordination services were held in July, 1864.

Rev. Mr. Watkins worked hard, and the Church was steadily increasing, and in two years it was found necessary to build an addition to the old one. It is a rare treat to hear those who remember the history of this period relating it—the good times they were having, and how conscious they were of Divine leadership. This building, at last, was found very inadequate and unworthy for such a church, and at the end of sixteen years it was decided to build a new edifice on Jones avenue—the present Centennial Congregational Church. The Church in that period had three ministers: Rev. W. Watkins, Rev. John E. Jones, Rev. W. Lewis.

The Rev. John E. Jones was pastor when the new church was built. Since then the Church has been continually growing under the ministry of Rev. W. P. Edwards, Rev. E. Bowen, Rev. J. V. Stephens, and its present pastor, Rev. T. Henry Jones.

May God grant us ability and zeal to maintain in the future the standard which for thirty-seven years the Centennial Congregational Church in Newburg has held, in faith and practice, in the religion which ennobles life here and insures immortality. T. H. JONES.

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK.

SABBATH—10:00 a. m., Preaching; 2:00 p. m., Sabbath-school; 6:00 p. m., Christian Endeavor Society; 7:00 p.m., Preaching. The evening service will be conducted in the English language every alternate Sabbath.

MONDAY—7:30 p. m., Prayer-meeting.

TUESDAY—7:30 p. m., I. C. E. Society. Miss Jennie Rees, Superintendent.

WEDNESDAY—7:30 p. m., Pastor's Class.

THURSDAY—7:30 p. m., Class-meeting.

FRIDAY—7:30 p. m., Women's Prayer-meeting.

OFFICERS OF THE CHURCH.

TRUSTEES—T. D. Jones, Thomas Thomas, Samuel Evans, R. D. Lewis, Richard Thomas, David James, Daniel Jones.

DEACONS—T. D. Jones, T. Thomas, Samuel Evans, Rees Lewis, D. F. Lewis, Richard Thomas.

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George, Miss Katie.....2395 Dercum St
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LAKEWOOD CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

ON a bright, pleasant morning in March, 1891, Revs. I. W. Metcalf and A. E. Thomson and Messrs. H. Clark Ford and C. E. Ferrell visited Lakewood for the purpose of discovering what the prospects were for the establishment and support of a Congregational mission for the preaching of the Gospel of Jesus Christ, and at what point, if any, a location might be secured for the erection of a house of worship.

LAKEWOOD CHURCH.

After noting the advantages and disadvantages of several locations, a lot was selected on Detroit street, near Highland avenue, which was afterwards purchased by the Congregational City Missionary Society. A primary department of the Sabbath-school was organized, with Miss Julia Bailey, teacher. During the summer of 1891, this class of small children met every Sabbath afternoon in the kitchen of Mrs. B. W. Coutant.

During the summer, Rev. W. F. McMillen made a canvass of the com-

munity for funds for the erection of a chapel. In this he was assisted materially by Mr. B. W. Coutant, Mr. C. E. Ferrell, Mr. Chas. Townsend and others, and the chapel was erected, costing, with furniture, $800, and was dedicated December, 1891. Up to this time cottage prayer-meetings had been held, and several city pastors had held preaching services in several homes. From December, 1891, to March, 1892, Rev. J. G. Fraser, D. D., Rev. W. F. McMillen and city pastors held afternoon services in the chapel.

REV. H. A. N. RICHARDS.

On December 13, 1891, the Sabbath-school was formally organized, with Mr. Carr, superintendent; Miss Julia Bailey, secretary; Mrs. Mack, treasurer; Miss McConnell, organist. The school was opened December 20, 1891, with three officers, eight teachers, seventy-one present in all, and the collection was $5.08.

In March, 1892, at a meeting of the supporters of the Mission, Messrs. C. E. Ferrell, B. W. Coutant and W. S. Nelson were elected trustees. Wm. Miller was chosen clerk and B. W. Coutant, treasurer.

Rev. E. A. Fredenhagen was called to take charge of the Mission, and commenced work March 1, 1892, and under his ministry the work progressed finely. A Ladies' Aid Society, a Christian Endeavor Society, and a Junior Society of Christian Endeavor were organized. Rev. E. A. Fredenhagen remained but one year, receiving a salary of $900; one-half being received from the field and the other half from the City Missionary Society. From March 1, 1893, to July 9, 1893, the pulpit was supplied by city pastors and others.

Rev. H. A. N. Richards was called to the work and began labors July 9, 1893, with a salary of $1,000 per year. On September 3, 1893, the afternoon services were discontinued, and regular morning and evening services were held, and the hour for the Sabbath-school was changed from 2:30 p. m. to 9:30 a. m.

This marked a new era in the history of the Mission and the work at once grew more rapidly.

In October, 1893, committees were appointed with a view to calling a council of pastors and of churches for the organization of a church. The council of pastors and churches convened at the chapel on November 9, 1893, and organized the Lakewood Congregational Church, with the following charter members: By Letter—Rev. H. A. N. Richards, Mrs. E. L. Richards, Miss Julia Bailey, Frederick A. Beck, Mrs. F. A. Beck, Sarah J. Beam, Mrs. Hattie Clow, Mrs. Sarah Coutant, Miss Barbara Cox, Edward G. Dudley, Mrs. Mary G. Dudley, Miss Edith I. Eminger, Chas. E. Ferrell, Mrs. Minnie A. Ferrell, Miss Mary E. Ferrell, Mrs. Mary W. Haynes, Miss Tacy Kellogg, W. S. Nelson, Miss Mary A. Orbison. On Confession—Miss Bertha L. Bailey, Miss Grace E. Drury, John G. Edson, Henry J. Nast, Miss Rosabelle D. Nast, George F. Nelson, Miss Sadie E. Park, Miss Harriet W. Renouard.

The organization of the Church was completed on December 4, 1893, by the election of officers as follows:

Trustees—Messrs. B. W. Coutant, C. E. Ferrell, F. A. Beck, Wm. Miller, W. C. Pudney.

Deacons—W. S. Nelson, C. E. Ferrell, F. A. Beck.

Deaconesses—Mrs. Sarah Coutant, Mrs. E. L. Richards.

Clerk—William Miller.

Sunday-school Superintendent—C. E. Ferrell.

Treasurer—B. W. Coutant.

Besides the societies already mentioned, there have been organized, and are doing good work, the Boys' Brigade—Captain, W. S. Nelson; Junior Captain, Geo. F. Nelson—and a Young People's Aid Society.

The Church now has 64 members, with a Sunday-school enrollment of 145.

The following are the present officers of the Church:

Trustees—C. E. Ferrell, B. W. Coutant, F. A. Beck, Wm. Miller, J. K. Lewis, A. Slack, L. J. Judd.

Deacons—F. A. Beck, F. B. Drake, C. E. Ferrell, W. S. Nelson.

Clerk—John K. Lewis.

TREASURER—L. J. Judd.

DEACONESSES—Mrs. Sarah Coutant, Mrs. E. L. Richards.

In summer of 1894, the City Missionary Society exchanged the lot on Detroit street for the more valuable one on the corner of Detroit street and Highland avenue, pledging the church this corner lot, 75x200 feet. To this lot the Church moved the chapel in August, 1894.

The Church has appointed building and finance committees, and ha decided to erect a new church building as soon as possible, and ha adopted plans presented by Charles E. Hopkinson, architect, which ca for an outlay of $7,000.

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ON account of rights and privileges that had been invaded, over one hundred people, members of the Bolton Avenue Branch of the First Presbyterian Church of Cleveland, met at the home of Mr. J. G. James, 317 Bolton avenue, Monday evening, March 21, 1894.

TRINITY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

and proceeded to organize themselves into a Congregational Church. The name being left to the ladies, it was finally determined that the new organization should be known as "The Trinity Congregational Church."

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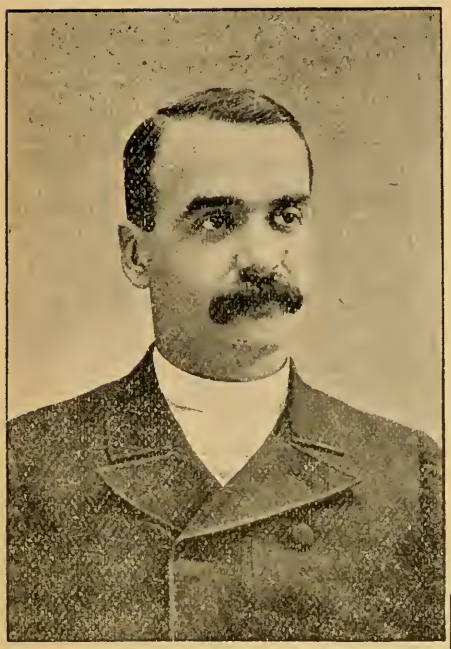

REV. R. A. GEORGE.

ship. The evening of the same day, Rev. Mr. George was installed pastor of the congregation.

It was soon seen on account of the rapid growth of the congregation that a church edifice would be needed. A lot was purchased and a building committee was appointed, consisting of Mr. J. C. McWatters, Mr. G. H. Barney, Mr. Z. B. Allee, Mr. J. G. James and Mr. E. E. Bauman.

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The organization was further completed, and on April 22, one hundred and sixty-three people entered into covenant together as the charter members of Trinity church. Rev. R. A. George the same day announced his acceptance of the call to be the pastor of the new organization.

Monday, April 23 a Council of Congregational churches formally recognized and received Trinity Church into their fellow-

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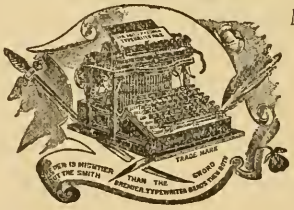

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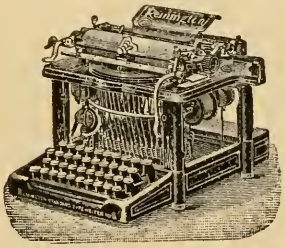

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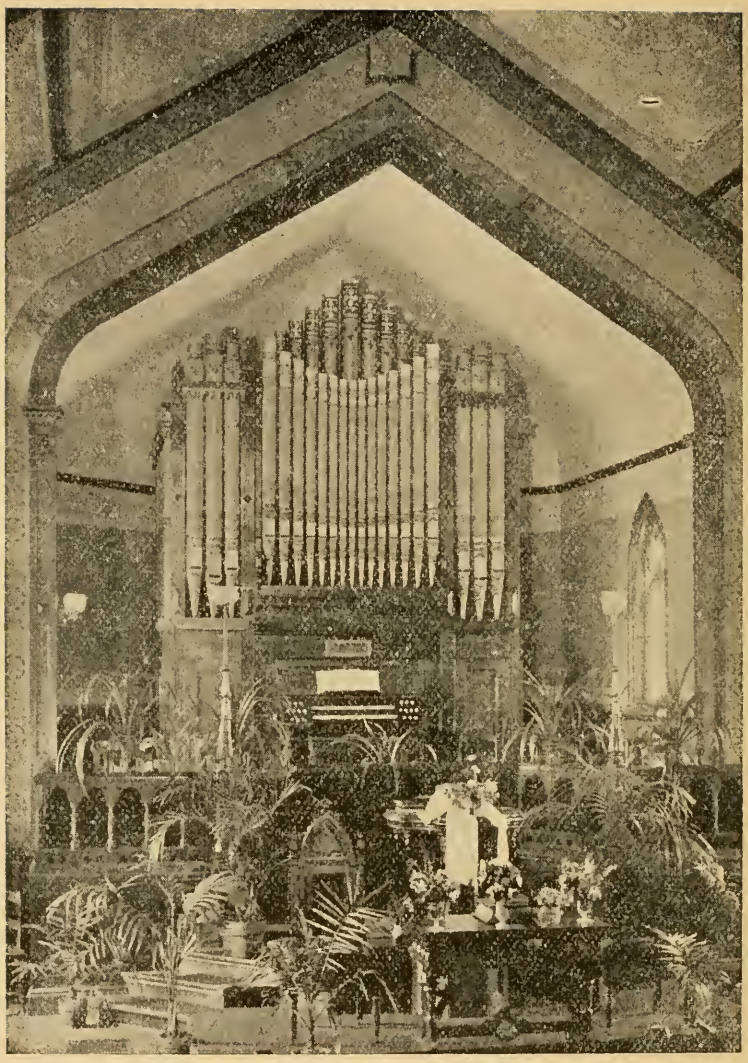

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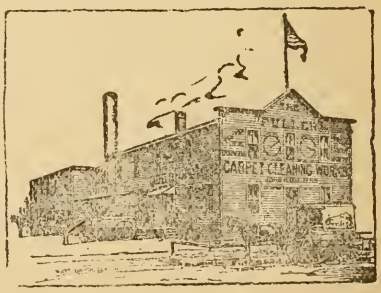

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SHOWS the many-sidedness of Greater Cleveland. Organized April 6, 1894, by a little band who wished to place the Christian Church squarely against the monstrous evil of the day, they covenanted with themselves and require of all seeking membership with them "to

OLIVET CHURCH.

abstain from all intoxicating liquors, including wine, beer and cider, and use all proper means to discourage the use of and traffic in the same."

The little body, animated with this full conception of Christianity, has steadily prospered and been greatly encouraged by generous expres-

sions of approval by other churches until there seems but a step to be taken to bring all other churches to the formal expression of this which is the only godly attitude of the Church toward the liquor traffic. For over a year they worshiped in obscure quarters and were often ministered to voluntarily by preachers of various denominations. From the first, the rooms secured for worship were inadequate and inconvenient; close, dark and inaccessible; crowded almost to suffocation on special occasions.

REV. W. S. TAYLOR.

Yet God so blessed the coming together of the people that it was often said, Can any other place become so precious?

In June last, Rev. W. S. Taylor, who had been engaged in mission work with the Friends, was called to the pastorate of this church that could scarcely be found. Heartily accepting the call, he has seen a rapid increase of the work under his hands. They have made temperance work practical and systematic by appointing the third Sunday of each month Temperance day and giving the temperance committee charge of the evening service of that day and of the preceding Friday evening prayer

meeting. The Sunday-school on that day studies the temperance exercise published by the National Temperance and Publication society of New York.

A lot at 180 Wade Park avenue was secured and a building committee of seven members and Rev. I. W. Metcalf appointed. A very pretty plan was presented by S. B. Badgley and the present building was erected from it, Mr. Seth Hull superintending and Mr. Geo. B. McMillan overseeing the carpenter work. The Wade Park W. C. T. U., the Somerset Y., Olivet C. E. and the Sunday-school donated beautiful stained glass windows; friends also donated four memorial windows.

The membership of the church has increased to 48 and C. E. to 30. The Sabbath-school numbers 60 scholars and 8 teachers.

The new building was far enough completed for occupation on October 27, and on the preceding Friday evening an affecting farewell was held in the old rooms. Dedication services began November 3, and continued throughout the week. Friends of the church filled it on the dedication occasion and subscribed liberally toward diminishing the debt. The cost of lot and building was about $3,000.

Through many sacrifices and by the aid of generous friends, they dedicated, November 3 at 2 p. m., their new church at Wade Park and Giddings avenues. President Thwing of Western Reserve university presided at the service.

The services continued through the week, the Sunday-school having Monday evening, the C. E. Tuesday, a social on Wednesday, a temperance meeting on Thursday and a prayer and praise meeting, led by the students of the Christian Workers' Training School, on Friday evening.

OFFICERS OF THE CHURCH.

PASTOR—Rev. William Sprague Taylor; residence, 120 Whitney avenue.

CLERK—Rose Harrison Bonar.

TREASURER—Lorena C. Alexander.

DEACONS—John L. Young, Thomas Paxton, Geo. B. McMillan.

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LAKE VIEW CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH,

OPPOSITE THE CEMETERY.

DURING the summer of 1887, the quiet of the country life about Lake View Cemetery was sufficiently invaded by the Italian Colony that had sought employment in the Granite Works and with the Street Railway Company, to arouse the interest of the Euclid Avenue Congregational Church.

LAKE VIEW CHURCH.

One Sunday afternoon, Miss Louise Woodward took her guitar, and accompanied by Misses Florence and Gertrude Cozad, walked up Monroe street toward Mayfield street. A few notes on the guitar were all that was needed to draw quite a crowd of children, who followed them. When they reached Mr. Lewis Ford's residence, near what is now the corner of Mayfield and Fairview streets, they were met by Miss Martha Dawes, who invited them to come into the yard, where the first Sunday-school that most of the children had ever attended was then begun, and

it was there that some of them for the first time heard the name of Christ used reverently instead of profanely.

For the rest of the summer a Sunday-school was held in the yard, or on rainy days, in the kitchen of Mr. Ford's house.

In the fall, Mr. Office, who lived opposite, gave the use of a front room of his brick house, which had been used to store vegetables. The work continued there until the winter of 1888-9 and had gathered a num-

REV. A. B. CRISTY.

ber of German and English children, and had had the help of Mr. B. F. Whitman and J. V. Dawes. When more room was found necessary, Mr. Silvaroli offered the use of the best room in his house, and there Misses Woodward and Cozad took the Italian children, while a room was rented in the McReynolds Block for the rest of the school. When the school was removed to the room back of the Garfield Bank, new workers entered and new members were secured.

The teachers now were J. V. Dawes, F. G. Hogen, Miss Ada Wilburn,

Mrs. Henry Aumick, Misses Catherine and Josephine Hanks, Miss Lyons, Miss Mary Barstow and Mrs. Benedict. Of these, Mr. F. G. Hogen was appointed superintendent by Dr. Ladd and the Board of Deacons of the Home Church, which now took the enterprise under their full guidance.

The first session of the new school was held January 13, 1889, and the average attendance increased to seventy-five, while the gradual withdrawal of the Italian element made it clear that the work was not to continue a missionary enterprise long.

It was then seen that a building was necessary. Mr. John D. Rockefeller agreed to lease a lot 60x150, and Messrs. Hogen and Dawes with Misses Wilburn, Lyons and Hanks solicited the funds, efficiently aided by Dr. Ladd and the Home Church.

"But no architect could be found who would furnish plans within the means of the Church, and with sufficient floor space to accommodate the people. Finally, Dr. Ladd said: 'Let us draw our own plans,' and it was done. He drew all the plans of the present chapel and, from them, an architect made the working specifications for the builders. In the spring, on Easter Sunday of 1890, Lake View Chapel, bright and commodious, with audience room, two large class-rooms—one for the infant class and one for the Italians—and a library, was built under the auspices of the Euclid Avenue Congregational Church. The total cost of building and furniture was $2,500."

"After moving into the new quarters, the Sunday-school increased rapidly, and a Sunday evening prayer-meeting, with occasionally a sermon, was added to the services. In the fall of 1890, the Rev. Wm. A. Knight became minister and, in the spring, organized the Lake View Assembly of the Euclid Avenue Congregational Church, under the following charter from the Home Church, viz: Cleveland, Ohio, February 27, 1891,

WHEREAS a desire has been expressed that there should be some organization at Lake View Chapel, whereby those who work and worship there might feel that they had a Church home, with all the privileges that belong to such a home,

Therefore, *Resolved:* That we adopt the following plan recommended by the Board of Deacons: (1) The organization of Christians at Lake View shall be known as the Lake View Assembly of the Euclid Avenue Congregational Church. (2) A clerk and treasurer shall be elected by the Lake View Assembly for one year, or until their successors are chosen, who, in addition to the usual duties of their offices, shall report in writing to the clerk and treasurer of the Church annually, or when requested. (3) The usual officers of the Sabbath-school shall be elected for one year, by vote of the members of the Church at Lake View, together with such other persons (except the scholars in the infant class) as may be associated with them in Bible study; and the superintendent shall report in writing to the clerk of the Church annually, or when requested. (4) When the membership of the Church assembled at the Lake View Chapel shall number one hundred resident members,

L. GOLDEN, TREASURER.

they shall be entitled to independent organization, recognition by council of sister Churches, and incorporation as a separate Congregational Church of Christ.

Resolved: That a committee consisting of Rev. H. M. Ladd, Rev. Wm. A. Knight and three others be chosen to take any necessary steps for carrying out the foregoing plan.

These were appointed: Horace Ford, Justin Snow and F. G. Hogen. Twenty-three persons became charter members, of whom six joined by confession of faith. This number increased to forty-three (all but one on confession) during Mr. Knight's ministry.

In October, 1891, Mr. Knight was called to the East Madison Avenue Congregational Church, and the Rev. Frank Van Horn of Oberlin took charge of the weekly prayer-meeting and Sunday services. On the first of January, 1893, the Rev. James A. Thome took charge of the work on a "one year's engagement," and the next Sabbath added fourteen members, the first since October, 1891.

The Sunday-school then numbered two hundred, with an average attendance of one hundred and forty. At the annual meeting of the Home Church in December, 1893, the Assembly requested the appointment by the Church of a committee of three from the Assembly, on their nomination, who should take charge of the work on the field as quasi trustees. Messrs. L. Golden, W. G. Spence and E. J. Neville were so appointed, and afterward this committee was enlarged by adding H. A. Morgan and L. G. French.

On February 11, 1894, Mr. Thome completed his labors with the Church, having added ninety-three members, making one hundred and thirty-six in all. About this time, Mr. Hogen also was compelled to sever his connection with the work by failing health, and L. Golden succeeded him as Sunday-school superintendent.

During the spring and summer of 1894, the pulpit was supplied by various clergymen, among them Rev. A. B. Cristy, who came from his work in Albuquerque, N. M., to attend the International Christian Endeavor Convention, and was engaged to supply for six Sundays, resulting in awakening such mutual interest that steps were taken to extend him a call to the ministry of the Church. This was formally voted by the

Home Church, on nomination by the Assembly, October 8, 1894, and Mr. Cristy accepted and began work November 11, 1894.

On November 27, 1894, the Board of Deacons of the Home Church adopted the following resolution :

Moved, "That the Lake View committee be requested to convey to the members of the Lake View Assembly the sentiment of the Board of Deacons of the Church, that it is their opinion that the time has come for the independent organization of a Congregational Church."

When this was read to the Assembly, they authorized the committee to secure the names of the members to a request for letters from the Home Church to form such a Church.

G. V ZOTTARELLI, ITALIAN MISSIONARY.

One hundred and four names having been thus secured, a formal request was presented to the Church at its annual meeting, December 7, to call a council on Thursday, December 20, which request was granted unanimously, and Messrs. H. Clark Ford and C. F. Thwing, D. D., appointed a committee with the pastor on the part of the Church, with L. Golden, L. G. French and E. W. Kneen, on the part of the Assembly, to call said council.

All the churches in the city, with those of Collinwood, Brooklyn and Hudson, were called and the Church was organized, and Rev. Albert Barnes Cristy installed its pastor, on December 20.

One hundred and four members were received from the Home Church, seven by letter from other churches and four on confession, making one hundred and fifteen in all. Three others from the Home Church were added before January 1.

At the organization, subscriptions to the amount of $300 were made, which covered all indebtedness of the Assembly.

As we were no longer entitled to the copies of *The Greeting*, steps were at once taken to supply its place, and *The Lake View News* was begun to be issued as a monthly, January 10.

Our manual was chiefly arranged from the manuals of the Home Church and its oldest daughter, the East Madison Avenue Congregational Church. The first organization of the Church was as follows:

Pastor—Rev. Albert Barnes Cristy.

Clerk—Henry A. Morgan.

Treasurer—L. Golden.

Sunday-school Superintendent—Edw. W. Kneen.

Assistant Superintendent—E. J. Neville.

Deacons—E. A. Ladue, 1 year; L. G. French, 2 years; L. Golden, 3 years.

Deaconesses—Mrs. L. H. Bigelow, 1 year; Mrs. L. Golden, 2 years; Mrs. A. O. Spence, 3 years.

Trustees—E. H. Stoll and C. H. Perry, 1 year; L. H. Bigelow and E. J. Neville, 2 years; A. O. Spence and E. W. Kneen, 3 years.

Music Committee—L. H. Bigelow, E. W. Kneen and Mrs. T. E. Street.

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Up to December 20, 1895, we have added thirty-two more members, making one hundred and fifty in all, and have lost three by death and three by letter.

Our debt has been entirely paid and all running expenses met, so that we have courage to plan larger things for the future.

Our Sunday-school has increased in numbers and every department of work has become strong.

In the latter part of October, 1895, President Ballantine of Oberlin wrote the pastor that he had an Italian student preparing for the ministry, who had had three years' experience in working as a missionary among his countrymen, and asking if there was not work he could do among the Italians of Lake View. After some correspondence, Miss Florence Cozad invited the young man to come and see what could be done, so Mr. Giuseppe V. Zottarelli came November 9, and the next day visited among the Italians, was warmly greeted and held religious service in our church that evening with eleven men. The next Saturday night he began a school to teach English and Italian, and held another service in the church next day. Again he came down November 23 and had the night school, and his third service was attended by over sixty Italians. He speaks in Italian, and they like him.

The Christian Endeavor societies of Lake View, Euclid Avenue, Madison Avenue, Park, Trinity, Hough Avenue and Olivet churches are united in helping to support this work.

Our City Missionary Society has consented to receive and pay out all money contributed for this special cause, so that all who are interested may send direct to J. W. Moore, 511 Society for Savings.

This work necessitates more room in the Lake View church, which will be raised and a basement finished for the special accommodation of the Italian school and the growing needs of the Lake View congregation.

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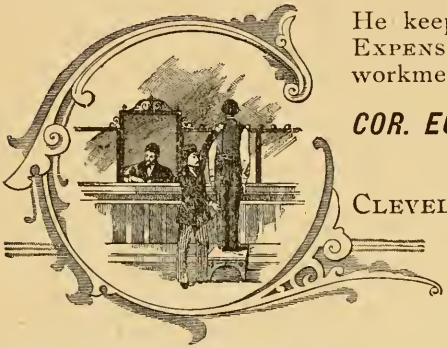

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LORAIN STREET MISSION.

THE LORAIN STREET MISSION of the Congregational City Missionary Society began with a Sunday-school, held in June, 1893, under the direction of Rev. J. H. Hull of Grace Church and Rev. H. O. Allen of Franklin Avenue Church. Mr. John G. Simon of Grace Church has been superintendent from the first, and has been assisted by members of Grace and Franklin Avenue churches. Since March, 1894, regular Sunday evening preaching services have been held, conducted for the first year by Rev. Irving W. Metcalf, superintendent of the Congregational City Missionary Society, and later by Mr. Charles H. Powell and Mr. Mark L. Thomsen, students from Oberlin. Rev. Rufus Apthorp was engaged by the City Missionary Society to take charge of the work as pastor, beginning December 1, 1895. Services have been thus far held in a stone building formerly used as a saloon, and both the Sunday-school and the Sunday evening services have become so large as to make a commodious chapel one of the necessities of the near future.

CYRIL CHAPEL (BOHEMIAN MISSION).

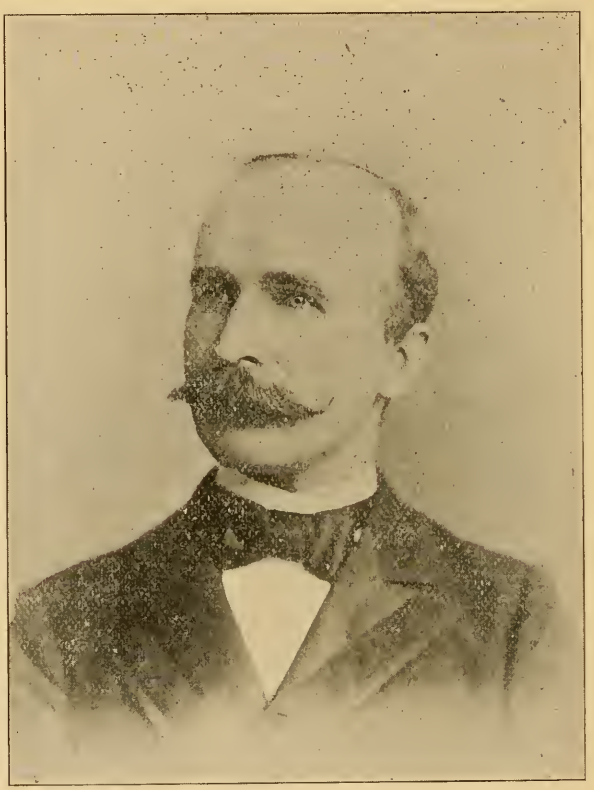
THE CYRIL MISSION originated properly with the erection of Cyril Chapel in the year 1887. Previous to this time Bohemian preaching services were held in a little German church on Train street, and in private houses in the centre of the Bohemian settlement. The work

CYRIL CHAPEL.

has been done almost exclusively by Rev. Dr. H. A. Schauffler. As the field is very extensive and the work seemed to be promising, steps were taken to build a chapel. Through the kind assistance of Christian friends and the Congregational Building Society, the chapel was erected, and dedicated in the summer of 1887. The chapel is situated on Selden avenue, near Clark avenue. It has a seating capacity of 220, and is

valued, including lot, at $3,400, and owned by the Bohemian Board of Cleveland.

From 1887 to 1888 the preaching has been supplied by Rev. Dr. H. A. Schauffler, and by the students of the Oberlin Slavic Department. In 1888, Mr. Edmund Wrbitzky, who prepared himself for the ministry of the gospel in Switzerland, and subsequently spent one year in the Oberlin Slavic Department, was ordained pastor of Cyril Chapel. In 1890 a



REV. JOHN MUSIL.

church was organized with thirty-three members. A year later, Rev. Mr. Wrbitzky was called to St. Louis, Mo., and Rev. John Musil, the present pastor, became his successor. A Christian Endeavor Society was organized in 1893, with a membership of eighteen. The work is advancing slowly, but steadily. Soon after the organization of the Church, three members moved away. Subsequently two were removed by death, and three by discipline. Another member moved away last year. Sixteen new

members were added, which makes a total membership of forty. The average attendance at the services is 60.

The Sunday-school has an enrollment of 190. It has been superintended by Mr. John Singleton from 1887 to 1888, and by Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Laird from 1888 to 1894.

In this year Mr. Laird was called to his reward, after a painful sickness, and Mr. J. S. Broughton, the present superintendent, became his successor.

The mission is doing a good work. The work is growing slowly but steadily ; its main hope is in the younger generation. The field is promising and the outlook encouraging.

J. S. BROUGHTON, SUNDAY-SCHOOL SUP'T.

John H. Broughton is superintendent of Cyril Sunday-school. The statistics of attendance for the last missionary year are as follows : Bohemian morning service, average attendance, 50; Bohemian Sunday evening service, 16; Sunday-school, 116 ; C. E. meeting, 27 ; prayer-meeting, Thursday evening, 18; children's meetings, 15; cottage meetings, 16; total average attendance at all meetings, 258.

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MIZPAH CHAPEL.

IN May, 1893, Mizpah Chapel, on Ackley avenue near Fleet street, was dedicated. The chapel, situated between our largest Polish and a new and growing Bohemian colony, was built chiefly as the center of Polish missionary work, but also for Bohemian and general Sunday-school work. It is our polyglot chapel, in which four languages—Polish, Bohemian, English and German—are constantly used.

MIZPAH CHAPEL.

In September of 1888, Miss Ella Hobart entered the service of our National Home Missionary Society as a missionary to Poles. Early in 1890, Mr. J. J. Dessup was appointed by the same society as missionary to the Poles in Cleveland. He held Polish services in his own house till Mizpah Chapel was built. Now he preaches every Sunday a. m. in German, with special reference to German-speaking Poles ; the 2 p. m. Sunday-school is conducted in English, with Bohemian classes, and is well attended. Mr. Archibald Lewis is superintendent. Then follows a Polish service, and during the winter a Bohemian service is held in

REV. J. J. DESSUP.

ducted in three languages, while the singing was in four.

In the four Cleveland Bohemian (not including the Polish work, which is not under the Bohemian Board) stations there were held during the last missionary year a weekly average of six preaching services; four Sunday-school sessions, and nineteen other meetings, with total average weekly attendance of 1,781; contributions to missions were $193.10; number of pastoral and missionary visits made, 5,295.

the evening. Miss Ella Hobart conducts a Girl's Club on Wednesday evening and a Sewing school on Saturday, and Miss Marie Reitinger has found Women's meetings an excellent means of drawing in Bohemian women who have never heard of a free gospel before. The average weekly attendance was last year: German service, 18; Polish, 13; Bohemian, 48; Women's meetings, 29; Sunday-school, 180. November 20, Mr. Dessup was ordained in Mizpah Chapel to the gospel ministry, the very interesting servce being con-

MISS ELLA HOBART, MISSIONARY.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, COLLINWOOD, OHIO.

THIS church is an outgrowth of the Free Congregational Church of Collamer (now East Cleveland) and was organized May 11, 1876, at which time the Rev. Charles W. Torey, pastor of the Congregational Church of Collamer, was chosen moderator, and Rev. O. D. Fisher, scribe. The name of the Church was called the First Congregational Church of Collinwood, with eighteen members composing

COLLINWOOD CHURCH.

it. May 17, deacons of the Church were elected, and June 11, the first Communion was held, at which time further additions were made to the Church. August 11, of the same year, the first set of officers were elected. The Church has continued prosperous and all its meetings harmonious.

DEDICATION OF FORD CHAPEL.

The original house of worship of this Church was called Ford Chapel, in honor of Horatio Ford, a liberal donor to its erection. It was formally dedicated to the worship of God on March 14, 1878.

The services were conducted by the Rev. Charles Terry Collins and Rev. Samuel Walcott of Cleveland, both now deceased. Here this church has dwelt for a period of eighteen years, receiving additions from time to time until of necessity it was compelled to remove to a more desirable location and to build a larger and more commodious house of worship. The efforts of the Church have been blessed by the aid of its different pastors and the untiring efforts of its deacons and officers, until to-day it stands without a peer for usefulness and influence in the community in which it is located.

Its chosen pastors have been five in number.

First. Rev. J. W. Turner, who served at the beginning and continued until December 10, 1876, when he resigned the charge.

Second. Rev. C. E. Ruddick was called to be pastor on September 20, 1877, and continued until September 20, 1879, when he requested dismission, which was acceded to.

Third. April 29, 1880, the Church unanimously voted a call to Rev. C. L. Hamlen, which was accepted, and he conducted a successful pastorate until April 29, 1888, when he tendered his resignation, and same was accepted.

Fourth. June 4, 1888, the Church voted a call to Rev. Geo. Wilson, and he became its pastor, and remained until January 4, 1891, when he resigned to accept a call to Clyde, Ohio.

Fifth. July 16, 1891, the Church presented a call to Rev. O. Jenkins to become its pastor, which was accepted, and he immediately entered upon his duties, and has so continued until this date.

The completion of the present edifice is due to the untiring efforts of the architect, Mr. W. W. Sabin of Cleveland, the faithfulness and vigilance of the building committee and the sympathy and benevolence of a majority of the population of the village. The ground for this building was broken September 11, 1893. The corner-stone was laid October 21, 1893. Seating capacity, 600.

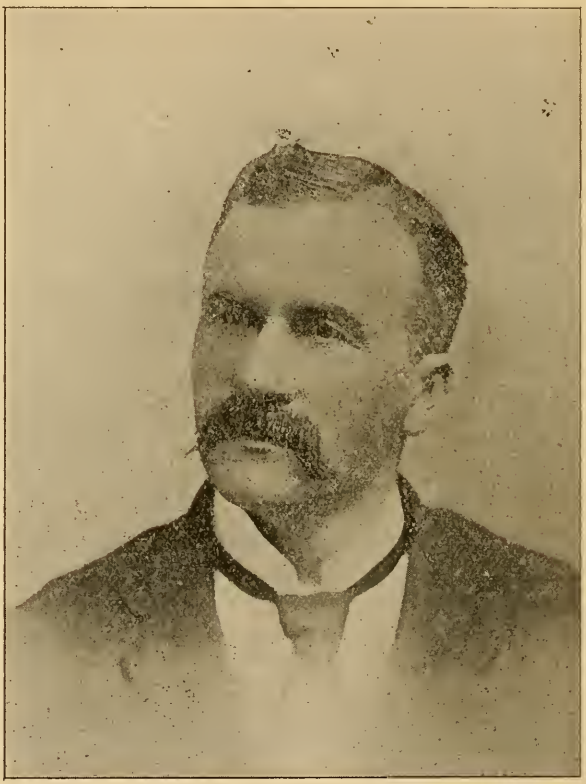
On Thursday evening, September 26, 1895, the congregation enjoyed for the first time a service in the new church; the auditorium was filled with a crowd which seemed to enjoy to the utmost the novelty and satisfaction of getting into the new building. Flowers and plants made the pulpit a bower of beauty. Special music by the choir and a solo by A. W. Cogswell also added to the service.

The Rev. J. L. Davies of Akron had charge of the service, and took for his text: "Which is the Church of the Living God, the Pillar and Ground of the Truth"—1st Timothy, 3-15. His sermon was well delivered and greatly enjoyed by those present.

At the close of the service a general handshaking ensued, while the people were inspecting the rooms, which are excellently fitted for the work, having a large main room and class rooms, thus furnishing accommodation for between six hundred and seven hundred people, and it is safe to say that the congregation of the First Congregational Church will long remember the first services in the new building.

DEDICATION PROGRAM.

On Sunday morning, September 29, was the dedication service. President C. F. Thwing, D.D., LL.D., of Western Reserve University, preached the sermon. Mr. J. F. Isham of Cleveland sang. Sunday afternoon at 2:30 a Bible-school service was held; Captain H. T. Fisher, Rev. L. L. Taylor, C. H. Ford, of Cleveland, spoke. Sunday evening, Rev. D. L. Leonard, D.D., of Cleveland, preached; Geo. A. Clark sang. Monday evening was devoted to the young people of the Church. They were addressed by



REV. O. JENKINS.

Mr. J. E. Cheesman, Rev. C. W. Carroll and Rev. C. S. Mills of Cleveland. Tuesday evening was the most interesting service of the whole series. It was interdenominational in its character. Six denominations were represented by as many speakers from the city.

This is an excellent portrait of Rev. O. Jenkins, pastor of the Church. Rev. Jenkins is a self-made man, having worked on a farm until the age

of twenty, when he entered the West Winfield Academy, in Herkimer county, New York, for a preparatory course in his chosen profession. In the year 1876 he graduated from Oberlin Seminary and spent the first nine years of his ministerial life in St. Lawrence county, New York. Returning to Ohio in 1887, he conducted a very successful pastorate at Dover, this county, for four years In response to a call, he came to Collinwood five years ago, and found a small and well-nigh discouraged congregation. The people quickly rallied at the appearance of the new pastor and the vacant seats in the church were soon filled at every service. From that time on but few Communion Sabbaths have passed without accessions. Two years ago last spring, 55 new members united with the Church at one time, adding material strength to the work. Frequent subsequent additions so greatly encouraged the pastor and congregation that a new and more commodious house of worship was talked of and then acted upon, and the handsome new edifice is a lasting monument to the works of God, and the faith and energy of the pastor and his flock.

The officers of the Church at the present time are:

Pastor—Rev. O. Jenkins.

Deacons—Jay Odell, H. D. Bartlett and H. G. Skinner.

Clerk—Jay Odell.

Treasurer—Mrs. R. T. Teare.

Sunday-school Superintendent—H. G. Skinner.

Superintendent of Primary Department—Mrs. H. G. Skinner.

President of Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor—B. T. Richards.

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Chorister—Mr. George A. Clark.

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CONGREGATIONALISTS may well take pride in this institution, for not only is its present honored President eminent in our denomination, but the founders of the college were trained in our polity and imbibed their thirst for a learned ministry amid the descendants of the Puritan and Pilgrim.

Although the state was not fairly open to settlement until 1795, and by 1800 there were scarcely fifteen hundred people scattered among the unbroken forests of the Reserve, still we find a Congregational minister, Rev. Joseph Badger, presenting a petition in 1801 to the "General Assembly of the Territory of the United States Northwest of the River Ohio," asking for a charter for a college "to be situated within the limits of the Reserve."

It was easy to enlist the men from Connecticut in the purpose to plant a new Yale in the new Connecticut, but their ambition was checked, for the petition was denied.

But the sons of Yale kept coming to this wilderness and reinforced Mr. Badger's petition; formed the Erie Literary Society; and applied for a charter again in 1803, as soon as Ohio was admitted to the Union and assembled her first legislature.

The names of the incorporators of Burton Academy include the leading Congregational settlers, beginning with Esquire Hudson and closing with Joseph Badger. The longing for an educated ministry that led Connecticut pastors to start Yale college and Massachusetts ministers to start Harvard college prompted those Reserve laymen and missionaries to keep the question under constant agitation for thirty years, until they saw the walls of the buildings at Hudson sheltering the first theological class, and the Rev. Charles B. Storrs, a Congregational pastor, in his place as its first president.

There is no need to tell one who remembers the old Yale campus that the Hudson college was planned entirely on that model, and that her loyal sons must have had a controlling voice in all the development of Western Reserve college. For thirty years after the first Commencement, the president and a majority of the faculty were men who had been trained under the Congregational polity, either of Massachusetts or Connecticut. Many of the alumni have given long and eminent service in the pulpits of our denomination.

The rapid development of the University idea and the solid growth in all departments under President Thwing have not failed to awaken a pardonable pride in the university among all our churches.

The denomination that opened the first Collegiate school for women at Mount Holyoke, Massachusetts, and encourages three such institutions as Mount Holyoke, Smith and Wellesley colleges in one state, is sure to support the College for Women, which has already won a high place for itself as a department of our university.

WOMAN'S COLLEGE.

Thus, among the Congregational forces at work in this city, we feel justified in claiming both the personality of President Thwing, of individual members of the faculty, and the accumulated power of that strong university which has grown from the persevering ambition and sacrifices of those pioneers who came from the training of Congregational homes and standards.

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OUR POLITY.

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CONGREGATIONALISM is neither an experiment nor a spent force. It is a living fact and a polity to be preached everywhere that the gospel is heard. Its adherents believe in the new birth, and then in the fruits of righteousness. They preach repentance toward God, and faith in His divine Son, Jesus Christ.

A Congregational church is a Union church, associated with other Union churches. It is an Independent church, co-operating with other Independent churches. It is a Kingdom within itself, acknowledging only Christ as Master and Lord. It has just as many bishops as pastors. It recognizes no ecclesiastical government higher than that of the local church. It does not believe that Jesus Christ had a court on earth, either in Synod or General Assembly. It believes that there is safety in a multitude of counsellors. It believes in co-operation. It is one of the greatest missionary forces; its members give more *per capita* to the spread of home and foreign missions than any other people in the world. It is older than any other denomination. The Christian Church was first Congregational, then Presbyterian, then Episcopal and then Papal. Congregationalism goes back to the beginning. It is not a reformation only, it is a restoration.

It has a history of which it is not ashamed. Since 1580 the nations of the earth have felt its power in their affairs. It inspired the Pilgrims and the Puritans. It gave the common school system to this country. It founded Harvard, Yale, Dartmouth, Williams, Bowdoin and Amherst colleges in New England, and Oberlin, Olivet, Illinois, Beloit, Ripon, Iowa, Drury, Doane, Carleton, Washburn, Yankton, Whitman and many others throughout the West.

It has given to theological education, Andover, Bangor, Yale, Oberlin, Chicago and Pacific Theological seminaries. It gave the first missionary to the Indians, John Eliot, in 1646. It sent Samuel J. Mills westward in 1808, before the Methodists and Presbyterians had thought of such work. It founded the American Board, the Colonization Society, the American Home Missionary Society, the American Missionary Association and the modern city missionary society, and was one of the chief factors in the organization of the Sunday-school Union and the Bible Society. It has given the world a Jonathan Edwards, a Hopkins, a Dwight, a Finney, a Joseph Cook and a Dwight L. Moody.

It is an ecclesiastical solvent among the other denominations. It is the solution, and the only solution, of the church union movement among the Christians who are tired of warring sects. It is a common denomi-

nator. It is not anchored to the past. It receives the Bible as the Word of God, recognizing the fact that its depth is not fathomed, nor its breadth measured, nor its height reached, but holding that there is more light to break forth from it. It has a quick ear, a keen vision, and a ready hand for all good work: The doctrines on which all evangelical denominations are agreed are the ones on which Congregationalism insists. For the things about which they differ it cares not at all. It is looking upward and forward, with "the past unsighed for, and the future sure."

CONGREGATIONAL PRINCIPLES.

The following are Congregational principles of church government as formulated in the report of the Committee on Manual to the National Council.

1. The Church Universal.—The visible church universal is composed of those who, believing themselves to be born of the Spirit, publicly confessed their faith in Christ as their Saviour and Lord. All Christians being equally related to the Head of the Church, are equal in all rights and privileges, and should be in communion with one another.

2. The Seat of Church Power.—Neither is a single universal church government claiming authority, nor one which is national, provincial, diocesan or synodical, warranted by the Word of God; but only local congregations (*i. e.*, churches) of believers. These particular churches have all needful power of self government under Christ, but are to be in recognized communion and co-operation with each other; including all evangelical churches of whatever name, which will accept such a fellowship.

3. The Local Church.—Those believers who dwell together in one place become a church by their recognition of each other, and their mutual agreement to observe Christ's ordinances in one society. (Platform of 1865.)

4. The fellowship of the Church.—But inasmuch as all evangelical churches should be in communion one with another, they should extend to each other the formal recognition of that fellowship, and manifest it by assisting each other with advice and necessary help, by consulting together in all matters of common concern, and by co-operating in work for the advancement of Christ's kingdom.

5. The Christian Ministry.—Men who in the judgment of the churches are called of God to the ministry of the Word, are by these to be set apart to that service with prayer and laying on of hands. The apostolic injunction, "Lay hands suddenly on no man," requires that due xamination be first made as to natural gifts, education, knowledge of the Scriptures, Christian experience, and the Divine call to preach the Word. Nor is any man to be regarded as retaining fellowship as an ordained minister unless he remain in orderly connection with some body of churches capable of certifying their continued approval.

OUR INFLUENCE.

To the Episcopalians we gave Phillips Brooks, descended through a long line of Congregational ministers, beginning with that strongest Congregationalist of all Puritans, Rev. Geo. Phillips.

Princeton College was planted largely by New England men and money, with a Congregationalist for one of the early presidents—Jonathan Edwards.

To the Presbyterians we have given many hundreds of churches organized by Congregationalists.

Baptists in America began with Roger Williams, a Congregational minister at Salem and Plymouth, Mass., who went to Rhode Island in 1636.

Unitarians made the first open departure from the Congregational Church in 1815.

We lead in comity among the denominations in the United States, in efforts for union and federation over the world.

The *Evangelical Alliance:* Rev. Wm. Patton, D.D., when a Congregational pastor, first conceived the idea of a World's Evangelical Alliance, and was helped in it by Rev. John Angell James, a Congregational pastor of England. All the secretaries of the United States Evangelical Alliance have been Congregational ministers.

City Missions: We are doing the principal city mission work in Boston, Chicago, St. Louis, Minneapolis and in most of the cities which have a City Missionary Society.

Sunday-school Study: The Peloubet Lesson Series by F. N. Peloubet, D.D., circulation 1,575,000; Peloubet Sunday-school papers, circulation, 2,600,000; Peloubet's Select Notes, circulation, 75,000. The Blakeslee graded lesson series for Sunday-school and Bible classes began January, 1891. Circulation January 1, 1893, was 150,000. Translated into eight languages.

Christian Endeavor Society: The Y. P. S. C. E. originated with F. E. Clark, D. D., when he was pastor of the Williston Congregational Church, Portland, Me.

The Swedish Mission Christians, seceding from the State church, invented from the Bible a polity and doctrine exactly Congregational, in 1878.

A Methodist body in Georgia did the same, and are now Congregationalists.

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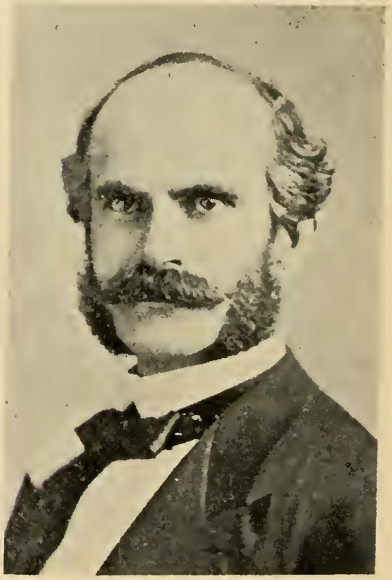

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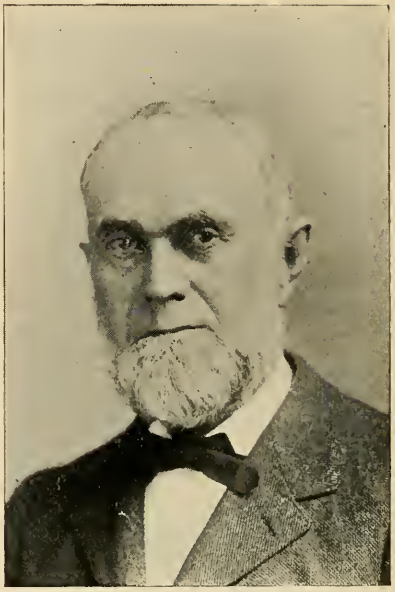

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